WEATHER FORECASTS

The barometer remains high over this Province, and fine, warmer weather continues on the Pacific Slope. Clear, cold weather is reported in the Prairies.

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RAISE IN 1927 LEVY FORESEEN

City Comptroller Warns Council Tax Rate May Be Increased Three Mills Next Year

ESTIMATES BASED ON RATE OF 41.4 MILLS

Mayor Pendray and Alderman Brown Press for Reduction—Finance Body to Review Figures

PREDICTION that the 1927 tax levy will be increased by three mills if the excess of the collections of tax arrears over the shortage in the collections of the current taxes are taken into the 1926 receipts, unless the proceeds of land sales are increased from $150,000 in 1925 to $268,000 in 1926, was made by City Comptroller D. A. Macdonald, in a statement issued to the City Council last night.

Comptroller Macdonald revealed that on the basis of the civic estimates tentatively passed to date, the amount of money to be raised by mill levy from the ratepayers is $1,621,178.95, which is equivalent to a rate of 41.4 mills on assessed value of land and fifty per cent of assessed value of improvements. The levy in 1925 amounted to $1,682,120.29, the rate being 39.3 mills.

The City Council was advised that if the 1926 tax rate was fixed at 41.4 mills and the cash on hand on revenue account at the end of 1926 was $38,500, next year's levy would result in an increase of $79,500, about two mills.

If the amount of the excess of collection of tax arrears over the shortage in collection of the 1926 levy are taken into the receipts, then a mill rate of forty and one-quarter mills could be struck this year, Mr. Macdonald points out.

Comptroller's Report

City Comptroller Macdonald's report on civic finances follows:

"The estimated expenditures for the year as tentatively passed by your Estimates Committee amount to, $2,581,468.11 and the estimated receipts have been set by the committee at $950,289.16, leaving to be raised by taxation $1,631,178.95, from which

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FAMILY OF SEVEN VICTIMS OF FIRE

PARENTS AND FIVE CHILDREN WIPED OUT BY MINNESOTA BLAZE

Mother and One Child Escape From Flames, But Die of Burns on Public Highway

WILLIAMS, Minn., March 29.—An entire family was wiped out by fire which destroyed the farm home of N. Nunen, two miles from here, early this morning. The dead include the father and mother and five children. All the children were under sixteen years of age.

The charred bodies of the father and four children, three boys and a girl, were found lying in the ruins. The body of the mother and an eight-year-old daughter were found on the road a quarter of a mile from the home. They had apparently escaped from the house and struggled that distance before succumbing to terrible burns.

The family had resided here for six months, coming from Park Rapids, Minn. Coroner R. Norris, of Williams, is conducting an investigation.

From the Colonist Tower

Tuesday, March 30

89th Day, 1926

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds, partly cloudy and mild.

Sun Rises: 5:57 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 6:38 o'clock.

High Tide: 3:34 a.m., 7.8 feet.
Low Tide: 10:07 a.m., 4.3 feet.

Sport

Amateur hockey: Port Arthur 3, Toronto 3 (30 mins. overtime). Victoria and Montreal play today.

The News

Local and Provincial—
City Comptroller warns Council that 1927 rate may be increased by three mills.
Annex at Oaklands School will be constructed.
Entire Pacific Northwest will support Victoria as convention city for 1927 of Western portion of National Paint Manufacturers' Association.
Specialist in breeding foxes praises Vancouver Island as having ideal climate for raising these animals.
Substantial gains made by City Land Department in number of sales and cash receipts.
Plant of Sidney Roofing & Paper Company to be extended at cost of about $80,000.
Tonight's hockey game at Montreal will be broadcast by The Colonist.

Dominion, Imperial and Foreign—
Minister of Labor elected in West Middlesex.
Ottawa House discusses automobile tariff.
Resolution that C.G.M.M. should leave North Atlantic conference passed by House.
Princess Victoria, King's sister, ill in London.
French pretender's death finds France indifferent.
World's champion faster goes without food for forty-four days.

Illness Occasions Anxiety in Britain

PRINCESS VICTORIA
Sister of King George, Who Is Ill With Influenza in London.

FASTER SPURNS FOOD 44 DAYS

German Youth Leaves Glass Cage Physical Wreck After Breaking World's Record in New Sport

GETS $20,000 PROFIT FROM "ENTERTAINMENT"

Digestive Organs Go to Sleep During Long Fast—Doctors Teaching Stomach to Perform Again

BERLIN, March 29.—Herr Jolly, professional faster, tonight established a record of forty-four days of abstention from food and was helped out of his glass cage, a physical wreck. He had beaten the world's record held by Signor Mulhati, of Italy, one day. The new champion was eagerly received by a large crowd, including numerous physicians who have been interested in his case. Though unable to walk and speaking in a feeble voice, Jolly's mind seemed very alert.

The floor of his cage was carpeted with cigarette butts and strewn with mineral water bottles. Jolly said that during the past three days he had been able to smoke only ten cigarettes a day since they affected his stomach.

Stomach Sleeps

The doctors on examination found the faster's digestive organs entirely dormant and took him to a hospital, where he will be fed a liquid diet exclusively, several teaspoonfuls at a time, under the closest medical observation.

Jolly, who is twenty-five years old, did his first fasting when he was imprisoned during the French occupation of his Rhenish homeland. He went on a hunger strike and held out for eighteen days. On the present occasion, when he entered his cage he weighed 130 pounds and his weight tonight was around 103.

Clears $20,000

The gross receipts of this exhibition amounted to $45,000 of which $10,000 was deducted for the municipal entertainment tax. His manager received $15,000, leaving receipts for the faster of approximately $20,000.

Jolly's success has inspired a number of emulators, among them a Hungarian woman under the professional name of "Daisy." Exhibitions of this nature, however, henceforth must take place in the provinces. The Berlin police designate such performances as public nuisances and will issue no further licences.

Smiles in Triumph

When Jolly last night completed the forty-third day of his fast, he smiled triumphantly in the knowledge that every minute thereafter was part of a new world's record. Jolly, who hails from Krenfeld, February 13 announced that he intended to exceed the record by a day.

He was then locked in a glass cage with 400 bottles of carbonated water and 5,000 cigarettes as well as a radio loud speaker, books and writing material.

Gets Marriage Proposals

Three hundred thousand Germans have viewed the faster, paying fifty pfennings from which the luxury tax has been sufficient to pay the salaries of the Lord Mayor and Borough mayors throughout his voluntary hunger strike.

While in the cage he has received more than 500 marriage proposals from flappers who evidently think it would be easy to cook for a man with so little appetite.

Cardboard Plant Will Be Added to Plant on Reserve

THE Sidney Roofing & Paper Company will install machinery and equipment necessary to manufacture cardboard or boxboard at its factory on the Industrial reserve. The plant and warehouse requisite will be started within sixty days, and it is expected to be in operation by the end of the year. The cost of this addition to the plant will be about $50,000.

KING'S SISTER SERIOUSLY ILL

Princess Victoria Down With Influenza — Symptoms of Pneumonia Developing — Now Sick for Some Days

PRINCE RECOVERING FROM EAR OPERATION

Heir's Condition Satisfactory, Physicians Announce—Sickness Among Royal Family Causes Anxiety

LONDON, March 29.—The unusual prevalence of sickness among the members of the royal family causes much anxiety.

The public had hardly recovered from the surprise of the sudden announcement that the Prince of Wales today had undergone an operation for an affection of the ear after an attack of influenza, from which the Duke of York also suffered recently, than late this evening a bulletin was issued from Marlborough House announcing that Princess Victoria, sister of the King, was also down with the disease, which had developed symptoms of pneumonia. The Princess has been ill for some days.

Late tonight it was stated that no noticeable change was apparent in her condition and no further bulletins would be issued until tomorrow.

Prince Recovering

In the meantime the Prince of Wales is making good progress toward recovery. He is in good spirits, but not likely to be out for at least another week.

An official bulletin issued tonight said: "The Prince of Wales is making satisfactory progress. All pain has ceased and the patient's general condition is satisfactory. No further regular bulletins will be issued."

The Duke and Duchess of York, who were to take a new house in Grosvenor Street, have changed their plans, and at Easter are moving into the town house of the Earl of Strathmore, which has been placed at their disposal, and where they will reside until after an interesting event, which is expected to take place in May.

Princess Long Ill

Princess Victoria has not enjoyed good health for a considerable time, and had to go to Italy shortly before the death of her mother, Queen Alexandra. This bereavement affected her greatly, and she has been engaged in the sad task of arranging for removal from Marlborough House such of her mother's belongings as she desired to place in her new residence at Ivor, near Bridge. This task was nearing completion when she fell victim to the influenza, which prevented her from going into occupation of her Ivor home, and she has been staying at Marlborough House.

105 GIVE EVIDENCE IN ELECTION TRIAL

WITNESSES TELL EDMONTON COURT THEY VOTED FOR CONSERVATIVE

Records Turned In by Accused Returning Officer Reveal Only Seventeen for Candidate

EDMONTON, March 29.—At this afternoon's session of the trial of P. A. Robb, deputy returning officer at Poll 4, Brule Mines, in the Peace River Federal riding during the Dominion election, in October last, an additional eighty-two witnesses were called by the crown, making a total of 105 who have sworn that they voted for J. A. Collins, Conservative, though returns made by Robb would indicate that only seventeen good votes had been cast for Mr. Collins.

Robb was arraigned this morning before Mr. Justice Walsh and a jury of six in the supreme court on three charges of fraudulent practices arising out of the Peace River election. He is charged with destroying ballot papers; putting in the ballot box other than authorized ballot papers and with fraudulently initialling papers purported to be ballot papers.

Mr. Justice Walsh, adjourning the court at the end of the afternoon hearing, stated that he thought he had established a record for the number of witnesses heard in a single day in a court of law. In all, 111 witnesses were heard during the first day of the trial.

There are still approximately ninety witnesses to be called by the crown and the case will continue tomorrow.

WELL-KNOWN PASTOR LEAVES CITY TODAY

Major the Rev. J. H. White, Minister of St. Columba Church, Bids Farewell to Congregation

A change incident on the recent union of St. Columba Presbyterian Church and Hampshire Road Methodist Church, Oak Bay, is the departure from the city today of Major the Rev. J. H. White, for two and one-half years pastor of the former congregation, who has left the ministry here to go to Vernon. Succeeding him in the pulpit of St. Columba, henceforth the home of the United congregations of what is to be known as "United Church of Oak Bay," will be the Rev. W. A. Guy, B.A., B.D., who will preach his first sermon here on Sunday, April 11.

Major White came to St. Columba Church two years ago last September, from Cariboo district, and immediately made the force of his per-

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Death Calls Claimant Of Throne of France

DUKE OF ORLEANS
Head of the French Royal Family, who died at Palermo, Italy, Sunday. He is succeeded as pretender by the Duke of Guise.

ROYALISTS LAUD DEAD PRETENDER

France as Whole Indifferent to Death of Claimant of French Throne—Officialdom Undisturbed

NEW ROYALIST LEADER MUST GO INTO EXILE

Duke of Guise, Now Head of Royal Group, Must Renounce Claim to Monarchy or Leave Country

PARIS, March 29.—The death of the Duke of Orleans, pretender to the throne of France, at Palmerno on Sunday, although causing scarcely a ripple in official circles, brought forth lengthy eulogies of the pretender by Royalist leaders.

Although of all the men of his rank he probably was the least known in France, the Prince was the greatest Frenchman, declared Leon Daudet, leader of the Royalists.

Duke Eulogized

"The Duke of Orleans possessed to the highest degree that personal charm and grasp of public affairs that make leaders of men. Unfortunately he did not live long enough to witness the moment when he could bring his excellent qualities into play."

The noted Royalist editor said that the Duke's death was a personal loss to him, as well as a great loss to the Royalist party.

"Princes are doomed to be little known and less understood until after their death than men of lesser degree," he said. "The Duke will finally come to be recognized as one of the princes who loved his country most, and who, had events transpired differently, might have been one of her greatest kings."

The New Pretender

The succession to the head of the French Royalist family automatically goes to the Duke of Guise, whose further residence in France is made impossible unless he renounces his claim to the throne.

The Royalist leaders say there is no reason to suppose the Duke of Guise will give up his claims to the crown. Accordingly they expect that he will remain abroad after the funeral.

Government officials were little disturbed by the pretender's death. They take it for granted that the Duke of Guise will assume all the prerogatives of head of the royal family, renounce all his important interests in France and reside permanently abroad.

ENGINE AND 8 CARS PLUNGE OFF RAILS

None Hurt in Maritimes Accident—Whole Train Remains Upright on Darting From Track

MONCTON, N.B., March 29.—The northbound Ocean Limited train from Halifax for Montreal was derailed about one mile east of Canaan, nineteen miles from here, this afternoon.

The engine and entire train, consisting of eight cars, all left the rails and tore up the roadbed for a distance of about two train lengths.

The engine and cars remained upright and no one was injured. No damage was done to the rolling stock.

BIG GALE DAMAGES LOBSTER FISHERIES

YARMOUTH, N. S., March 29.—A northerly gale blowing at the rate of forty-eight miles an hour has caused great damage to the lobster fisheries along the coast of Nova Scotia, thousands of dollars' worth of equipment having been thrown up on the beaches for miles and boats either sunk at their moorings or dashed ashore and wrecked. No casualties have been reported late tonight. The gale was still blowing.

Mr. Justice Beck Will Make Election Probe

OTTAWA, March 29.—Hon Justice Beck, of the appeal division of the Supreme Court of Alberta, has been appointed Royal Commissioner to investigate charges of alleged irregularities in the constituency of Athabaska, Alberta, during the recent general election. Official announcement to this effect was made today.

QUIT COMBINE, C.G.M.M. TOLD

Commons Gets Behind Conservative Motion Calling on Government Line to Play Lone Hand

INDEPENDENT OPERATION INSISTED ON BY HOUSE

Company Still "Sitting In" With North Atlantic Conference, Despite Supposed Separation

OTTAWA, March 29.—On the motion of Col. H. A. Mullins, Conservative, Marquette, Man., the House of Commons today adopted a motion that the Canadian Government Merchant Marine should withdraw at once from the North Atlantic conference "and should be operated independently of any association, conference, or combine of steamship lines with the sole object of conferring the greatest possible advantage upon the Canadian producer."

Hon. C. A. Dunning, Minister of Railways, said the Canadian Government Merchant Marine withdrew from the conference in 1925.

Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen replied that while it had been stated last session that the Government Merchant Marine had withdrawn from the conference, evidence was adduced to show that it still "sat in." It was important to know whether rates put into effect by the Government Merchant Marine were those "dictated" by the conference.

Mr. Mullins declared that an excessive rate of $20 per head for carrying cattle to England still prevailed and Western shippers were beginning to wonder if they would ever see it reduced.

Why, he asked, would it not be possible to refit vessels of the Merchant Marine for carrying Canadian cattle? There were twenty-four ships of 8,000 tons each which would be admirably suited for the cattle trade if properly refitted.

OAKLANDS ANNEX WILL BE BUILT

CITY SCHOOL BOARD APPOINTS MR. PERCY FOX AS ARCHITECT FOR PROJECT

Work on Estimated $18,000 Four-Roomed Building to Start Without Delay

A four-room wooden annex at Oaklands School will be constructed at an estimated cost of $18,000, the city School Board decided at a special session yesterday afternoon at the City Hall, with Chairman George Jay presiding.

Mr. Percy Fox was appointed architect for the project and he will prepare plans and specifications for the annex, which will be considered by the trustees in the near future.

The School Board plans making a start on the building of the annex as speedily as possible and intends that it shall be available for occupancy at the start of the Fall term in September.

Cafeteria Plans

The trustees suggested that the Municipal Inspector, Mr. George H. Deane, make a trip to Vancouver and vicinity within the next few weeks if he thought useful data could be obtained in regard to the operations of the cafeterias in high schools on the Mainland, as well as information concerning the junior high school question.

A communication from Mr. Harry Charlesworth, secretary of the British Columbia Teachers' Federation, invited members of the School Board to attend sessions of the seventh annual convention of the federation, which will be held in King Edward High School, Vancouver, on Tuesday and Wednesday, April 6 and 7. The federation will be thanked for its invitation and trustees who can attend will do so.

Tenders Awarded

Tenders for the painting of the outside woodwork on the main buildings at North Ward and South Park Schools were opened and considered. The contract for painting North Ward School was awarded to the Melrose Company, Limited, whose tender was $224, while Mellor Bros. will paint the South Park School, this firm's tender being $275.

The contract for supplying 200 kitchen chairs was awarded to the Hudson's Bay Company, whose tender of ninety-nine cents per chair was accepted.

Daily Colonist to Broadcast Today's Championship Game

THE Daily Colonist will tonight broadcast through Radio Station CFCT details of the first game between the Victoria Cougars and Montreal Maroons, which will be played at Montreal. Mr. George I. Warren will be the announcer.

Tonight's game will commence at 8.30 o'clock, eastern standard time, which is 5.30 o'clock Pacific standard time.

Mr. Lambert Colombin, violinist, will provide a musical treat between periods. Miss Grace Carlyon will officiate as accompanist.

Mr. A. W. Carter will have a car in front of The Colonist office, Broad Street, equipped with a radio set.

Minister of Labor Returned to House By 2,681 Majority

Hon. J. C. Elliott Defeats Conservative Rival by Big Margin in West Middlesex—Progressives Give Winner 1,500 Votes and Loser 1,000—Premier King and Liberals at Ottawa Jubilant

Mr. James Malcolm, North Bruce Member, Now Expected to Join Administration

STRATHROY, Ont., March 29.—Obtaining majorities in practically every subdivision in West Middlesex, Hon. J. C. Elliott, recently appointed Minister of Labor in the administration of Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, was returned today in the by-election rendered necessary by his promotion to the Cabinet by a majority of 2,681 votes over his Conservative opponent, T. A. Elliott. The Minister of Labor polled 6,520 votes compared with 3,839 by the Conservative candidate.

New Minister Returned At Ontario By-Election

HON. J. C. ELLIOTT
Minister of Labor, who was elected in West Middlesex yesterday by a majority of 2,681 votes over his Conservative opponent.

Liberals in the riding were highly elated over their representative's victory, as he carried the districts in which Mr. Elliot was expected to obtain good leads. In fact, of the eighty-two subdivisions the new Minister was at the bottom of the poll in only seven.

Second Victory

In the general election, last October, with a Progressive candidate running in opposition to the contestants in today's battle, the total vote polled was 11,290, or 931 more than in this contest. In that election the figures were: J. C. Elliott, 4,926; A. Macdougall (Progressive), 3,548; T. A. Elliot, 2,816. Political observers, scrutinizing the returns, expressed the opinion that Mr. Elliott obtained approximately 1,500 of the votes cast for Mr. Macdougall in the general election.

Handicapped by bad roads, campaign workers today made a great effort to increase the vote polled in the last election, and with an abundance of motor cars brought the electors to the polls.

Liberals Jubilant

Following the closing at 6 o'clock, returns were transmitted with great rapidity to headquarters, and within an hour it was apparent that Mr. Elliott's election was assured.

Liberal supporters in this town, the largest urban centre in the constituency, celebrated with bands and impromptu parades from 8 o'clock until well after midnight.

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Pacific Northwest Backs City's Bid For Paint Meeting

THE entire Pacific Northwest will support Victoria's bid for the 1927 convention of the Western Zone of the National Paint Manufacturers' Association, Mayor Carl Pendray declared yesterday, on his return from Seattle, where he addressed the Puget Sound and British Columbia paint bodies and invited them to back British Columbia's Capital City in its efforts to induce the national organization, at its meeting in July at Monterey, California, to arrange to meet here next year.

If Victoria secures this big conference, more than 500 of the leading paint manufacturers of the continent and their ladies will visit this city, and the Chamber of Commerce has promised to assist in the entertainment which will be accorded them in this city.

COMMONS DISCUSSES AUTOMOBILE TARIFF

PROGRESSIVE MEMBER MOVES RESOLUTION FOR CUT IN CUSTOMS DUTY

Liberals and Agrarians Support Proposal—Motion Likely to Die on Order Paper

OTTAWA, March 29.—An all-day debate in the House of Commons on a resolution advocating "a substantial reduction in the Customs tariff on automobiles and motor trucks" concluded shortly before midnight on a private member's motion for adjournment. The resolution did not reach a vote and no member of the Government had spoken when adjournment was agreed to. The resolution was introduced by G. G. Coote, Progressive, Macleod.

The resolution, having had its place in the discussion on a private member's day, automatically goes to the bottom of the order paper, which would almost certainly mean that it would not come up again this session. Premier Mackenzie King, however, intimated when adjournment was moved by J. E. Letellier, Liberal, Compton, that some arrangement might be made whereby the resolution might be given precedence again at the next private members' day.

Discussion brought Liberal and Progressive support of the resolution. From Conservative speakers there came criticism.

OTTAWA, March 29.—G. G. Coote, Progressive, Macleod, Alta., moved in the House of Commons today his resolution that there should be a substantial reduction in the Customs tariff on automobiles and motor trucks.

Mr. Coote submitted that owing to the lack of transportation in Canada, especially in the West, Canadian farmers should be able to buy motor trucks and automobiles. Canada, he said, really ought to have more auto vehicles per head of population than the United States, whereas the ratio was lower in Canada. There could be only one reason why it was lower, he

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SUBSTANTIAL GAIN IN LANDS BRANCH

CASH RECEIPTS AND NUMBER OF SALES OF REVERTED PROPERTY MUCH HIGHER

Alderman Dewar, Committee Chairman, Reveals Progress Made by Department

Cash receipts of the city land department and the number of sales of city properties between January 1, 1926, and March 26, 1926, show substantial gains over a corresponding period last year, Alderman R. A. C. Dewar, chairman of the civic land committee, told the City Council last night.

Ald. Dewar pointed out that the cash receipts of the land department for the above-mentioned period totalled $35,277.11, in comparison with the sum of $30,261.60 last year.

Sales of civic lands between January 1, 1926, and March 26, 1926, were thirty-one parcels, for a total of $17,284, and during the same time last year there were thirteen parcels of property disposed of, the amount received for the same being $17,327.

To date the city land department has received more than eighty per cent of the second payment on the auction sale held in August. Alderman Dewar observed that there was every assurance that the balance of unpaid instalments will be met at an early date.

Alderman Dewar declared it was gratifying to note that of the 149 parcels of property sold at the auction sale, taxes had been paid on 118 parcels.

LEAGUE WOULD PUT CHECK ON MOVIES

Movement to Protect Children From Undesirable Pictures Launched by Geneva Commission

GENEVA, March 29.—A movement to protect children throughout the world from undesirable moving pictures was initiated today by the League of Nations advisory commission on child welfare, which adopted a resolution for the creation of censorship boards in each country, composed of educationists and parents.

The resolution stipulates that these boards should prohibit the presentation of films demoralizing to the mentality and morality of children and encourage films which develop the education of a child. It further recommends an international entente between the national boards with a view to international interdiction of improper pictures.

Speedboat Founders After Racing Smash

HAVANA, March 29.—The speedboat Baby Gar VII, driven by Geo. Wood, of Detroit, sank in 180 fathoms of water in Havana harbor this afternoon, after she had rammed the motorboat Miss Palm Beach in the open speedboat contest. Wood and his mechanician, Joe Kenny, were rescued. Miss Palm Beach, badly damaged, was towed into Havana harbor.

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Big Snowstorm Spreads Throughout Southwest

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 29.—The lion-like snowstorm that has gripped the Rocky Mountain section for several days, accompanied by rain, sleet and snow, reached down into the Southwest today. Snow was reported from nearly all sections of Kansas, and by tomorrow that state, most of Missouri, Northern Oklahoma and the Texas Panhandle, will be blanketed with white, it was predicted at the weather bureau here.

New Japanese Tariff Hurried Into Effect

TOKIO, March 29.—The new customs tariff passed by the Diet last week was unexpectedly enforced Sunday midnight by imperial decree. No great quantities of imports are, it is believed, affected.

Police Dance—The weekly police dance was held last night at the Flagard Street headquarters. A good attendance danced to the splendid music of Art Bishop's augmented orchestra. The next dance will be held on Monday night, when special features will be put on.

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National Dog Biscuits, 90c sacks			79¢
Empress Jelly Powders, 4 for	25c	Cream of Barley, for	29c
Sunkist Prunes, per lb.	11c	Nabob Coffee, 1-lb. tins	60c
Pot Roasts, per lb., 12¢ and Boneless Rolled Roasts, lb. 15¢		Stewing Veal, 2 lbs. / Minced Beef, 2 lbs.	25¢ / 25¢

ECHO OF FAMOUS LAWSUIT IS HEARD

Rumor Associates Counsel for Westholme Company With Desire to Reopen Proceedings

To meet another effort to reopen the proceedings of the Westholme Lumber Company versus the City of Victoria, a committee of the City Council met yesterday and decided to take counsel's opinion on the situation. It is stated that an effort will be made by counsel for the company to take proceedings against the arbitrator, Mr. W. W. Bell, a civil engineer, named as a sequel to the Privy Council judgment, to enforce adjustment of the points in dispute on the contract.

In 1912 the city entered into a contract with the Westholme Company as lowest tenderer to construct the Sooke waterworks. On the ground that the work was in an unsatisfactory state later, the then water commissioner took over the work and completed it. The company sued the city for damages. A lengthy trial in the Supreme Court with assessors terminated for the defendants. On the case going to appeal, and ultimately to the British Privy Council, an undertaking was given to their Lordships by the late Mr. W. B. A. Ritchie, then counsel for the city, that an independent engineer should assess the disputed points of the contract. Mr. Bell was chosen, but the city legal advisers followed the line that there was nothing to adjust, and that on the other hand the city had a heavy counter-claim against the plaintiffs.

Counsel for the Westholme Company took the second application by mandamus to appeal, and failing success there, sought legislative adjustment. This adjustment has been fought by the city continuously, eminent counsel having advised that the city's position is impregnable.

RAISE IN 1927 LEVY FORESEEN

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may be deducted the fixed levy against the Empress Hotel of $10,000. Amount to be raised by mill levy, $1,621,178.95. This is equivalent to a rate of 41.4 mills on assessed value of land and fifty per cent of assessed value of improvements.

"The levy in 1925 amounted to $1,632,120.29 and the rate was 39.3 mills.

The current taxes collected in 1925 amounted to eighty-six per cent of the levy, and the shortage of fourteen per cent was more than offset by the collection of arrears. Collections of arrears in 1926 are estimated at $265,500, from which must be deducted fourteen per cent of the 1926 levy being the shortage on current collections (on the same basis as last year), $226,974.27, leaving $38,525.73 as the probable balance of cash on hand at the end of 1926 on Revenue Account.

Cash on Hand End of 1925

At the end of 1925 there was cash on hand in Revenue Account $140,008.88, and in lands account $150,352.59. Any reduction in the amount of cash on hand at the end of 1926 as compared with 1925, will result in the tax levy for 1927 being increased by the amount of the reduction. Assuming therefore that sales of land, etc., produce in 1926 the same amount as last year, and the tax rate is fixed as above at 41.4 mills, and that the cash on hand on revenue account at the end of 1926 works out at $38,500, next year's levy will be increased by the difference between $140,000 and $38,500 or $101,500 minus $22,000 being the reduction in the 1927 capital charges, or an increase in the 1927 levy of $79,500.

"If the council decide to reduce the levy this year by the amount of the excess of collections of arrears over the shortage in the collections of the current levy, $45,000 may be taken into the receipts, reducing the levy to $1,576,178.95 with a mill rate of forty and one-quarter.

"The shortage of collections of the current levy—on the same basis as last year's collections, namely eighty-six per cent—will then be $220,600, which will be almost exactly offset by the collection of arrears of $265,500 minus the $45,000. As far as can be foreseen at the present time then, the city would finish up the year 1926 with no revenue cash on hand, and the 1927 tax levy would be increased by $140,000 minus $22,000, the reduction in the 1927 capital charges, unless the proceeds of land sales, etc., are increased from $150,000 in 1925 to $268,000 in 1926."

Urges Lower Tax Rate

Alderman Brown, chairman of the finance committee, moved that the civic estimates be referred to the finance committee for consideration. This resolution was seconded by Alderman Clearihue.

Alderman Marchant inquired what was the object of this suggested procedure.

"I suggest that the estimates be referred to a smaller committee than the estimates committee, and that body could suggest to the council at its next meeting the rate of taxation to be struck. We may be able to cut off $10,000 from the present figures," said Alderman Brown.

Sees No Reason for Proposal

That he didn't see the reason for this line of action, was the comment made by Alderman Marchant. "I can see sound reason in a proposal to lay on the table the comptroller's report for a week, in order that all members of the council may give it serious thought, but fail to grasp any merit in the motion to pass the matter over to the finance committee now," declared Alderman Marchant.

Mayor Pendray favored the motion, urging pruning of the estimates as much as possible, and advocating the setting of a tax rate at the next council session, which will be next Tuesday night.

Alderman Dewar claimed that it was the general practice of the council to refer the question of mill rate to the finance committee, which brought in recommendations upon the matter.

Alderman Woodward expressed himself as being in accord with the attitude adopted by Alderman Marchant. He recalled that the estimates committee had carefully dealt with the estimates from the outset, and considered this course should be continued until the rate was definitely struck.

The Division

Alderman Woodward moved in amendment to the motion of Alderman Brown that the report of City Comptroller Macdonald lay on the table for one week, and this was seconded by Alderman Marchant.

The council voted first on the amendment, which was lost on the following division: For, Aldermen Woodward, Harvey, Marchant and Shanks. Against, Aldermen Brown, Clearihue, Dewar, Cullin, Holmes and Mara.

The original motion of Alderman Brown's was then carried on the following vote:

For: Aldermen Brown, Mara, Holmes, Cullin, Dewar and Clearihue.

Against: Aldermen Shanks, Woodward, Marchant and Harvey.

COMMONS DISCUSSES AUTOMOBILE TARIFF

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said. That was the high price of automobiles.

Hard on Farmers

In the West the average distance which a farmer had to haul his produce was ten miles. Those who had much further than this to take their products before they could be shipped to market were surely entitled to greater consideration.

Mr. Coote estimated incidence of the Customs tariff alone added $305 to the price of every car in Canada. Besides this there was the sales tax. Canadians also paid on imported cars, United States excise duty of five per cent. All of this taxation, Mr. Coote said, imposed an entirely unfair burden of cost on the people who purchased cars. So far as farmers were concerned, he said, a car was becoming a necessity and should not be taxed as if it were a luxury.

Almost everywhere one went there seemed to be a demand for reduction in the tariff on automobiles, Mr. Coote said.

Canadian Price High

Mr Coote compared the prices of the two makes of motor cars to show that the increase in the Canadian price was from thirty-eight to forty per cent over the American price.

The American manufacturer was taking advantage of the tariff. If you bought a car brought in, the tariff went to the American manufacturer, he said.

"This tariff is imposed on the Canadian people for the American stockholder," he said.

Canadian manufacturers of cars were now able to compete in the foreign market. Canada had exported to ninety-seven different countries in recent years. The financial condition of the industry was good. Surely it was time for material tariff reductions.

Was Canada going to stand for the national policy while industries had grown to the enormous proportion of some of the automobile companies and still continued to enjoy a thirty-five per cent tariff? Mr. Coote claimed that $20,000,000 was the excess price paid to manufacturers of Canadian cars in 1924 because of the tariff. There was an average increase per car of $225 directly due to tariff, while the wages paid for the production of such a car was approximately $92. Yet it was argued that the tariff existed in order to permit the companies to pay a living wage. A reduction in the tariff would mean a reduction in the price, a reduction in price would mean an increase in consumption, and an increase in consumption would mean more employment.

Some would argue that the matter should be left to a tariff board. Nothing would suit the manufacturers more than to have the whole matter referred to a tariff board and thus delayed for a year.

Early Reduction Urged

"Let it be reduced now," declared Mr. Coote and there was applause from Progressive and Saskatchewan Liberal benches. "It is an open secret that lobbyists for automobile manufacturers have been around this House for weeks," remarked Mr. Coote.

Georges Bouchard, Liberal, Kamouraska, speaking in French, stated that he had voted last year in opposition to a similar resolution. He had done so for the reason that he had been given the understanding that the tariffs would be modified along the desired lines. This year, however, he intended to give his vote in favor of the proposal.

R. Morand, Conservative, East Essex, agreed that the automobile was a necessity and that the automobile industry was a permanent thing in Canada. If it was an important industry it should be protected and not handed over to the United States.

WELL-KNOWN PASTOR LEAVES CITY TODAY

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sonality felt in the district. A keen student of theology, he was also a very fine pastor, and his departure is sincerely regretted by his congregation, to whom he preached for the last time on Sunday.

A few days previously at a congregational farewell, the members made a testimonial to Major White, this taking the form of a presentation purse, while to Mrs. White was given a handsome white silk scarf. The Rev. Frank Hardy, retiring pastor of Hampshire Road Methodist Church, and Mrs. Hardy, who had been honored in similar fashion by their own congregation some time previously, were present at the same gathering. A musical programme was given by the choir, and the Ladies' Aid and Young People served refreshments.

The United Church of Oak Bay in its reorganized state has a membership of about 200. The Rev. W. A. Guy has been minister of St. Andrew's United Church, Vernon, for the last two years, and will preach his farewell sermons there on Sunday. Shortly after his arrival here on April 11, some kind of congregational welcome will be extended to him and his wife, who is known as a very active church worker. They will take up their residence immediately at the new Oak Bay United Church manse, 1547 Hampshire Road. No preacher has as yet been arranged for next Sunday's services at Oak Bay.

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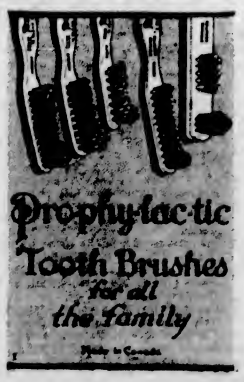

Elected President of League of Nations

SENOR ALFONSO DE COSTA

Of Portugal, shown above, was elected President of the League of Nations at the extraordinary assembly recently, which was called to admit Germany to the League.

Lighting Facilities At Outer Docks Will Be Improved at Once

THE City Council last night decided to install a light in the vicinity of Pier 2, Outer Wharf, provided that Rithet's, Limited, will pay the cost of the pole and equipment, estimated at approximately $75.

Alderman Harvey advised the Council that Rithet's, Limited, was willing to bear the said expense. The city will make the necessary connection to the street lighting system and assume the annual maintenance charges.

This project is in the nature of a semi-public service, as it will not only be of benefit to the residents of the district in question, but will be a much-needed improvement in the lighting facilities at the Outer Docks.

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SEATTLE, March 29.—Four members of the dry squad of the Seattle police, accused of seeking a bribe in return for concealing liquor activities, were today suspended from duty until charges made against them by the Government and the state have been tried to conclusion.

WASHINGTON, March 29.—A malt "health booster" containing 3.75 per cent alcohol, which looks like beer and tastes like beer, is to be placed on the market for a trial period of six months under sanction of Assistant Secretary Andrews of the Treasury, in charge of prohibition enforcement.

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Roast Pork, lb.	25¢	Pork Steaks, lb.	28¢
Side Pork, lb.	25¢	Legs of Pork, lb.	28¢
Veal Stew, lb.	15¢	Legs of Veal, lb.	25¢
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These contests were held at Toronto on Saturday last, and the championship for Canada was won by Miss Irma Wright, of Toronto at 106 net words per minute. The novice class champion is Miss Irene Hershman, of Hamilton, Ont., with sixty-eight words a minute; intermediate class, Miss May Balge, of Vancouver, sixty-seven words a minute; senior champion, Miss Ethel Harndorf, of Toronto, ninety-eight words per minute; accuracy champion, Miss Ruth Moore, of Toronto, 99.82 per cent accurate. The matter copied was the same as used here in the city tests and at all other centres throughout Canada where the contests are held. All the winners used the Underwood Typewriter.

DAMAGES SOUGHT FROM LOG FIRM

Comox Logging & Railway Company Sued by Mrs. Frank Higgins and Chan Sing for $15,000

ACTION IS RESULT OF FOREST BLAZE

Plaintiffs Say Negligence of Company Responsible for Fire Which Destroyed Tyee Farm

As one result of a disastrous forest fire on August 8, last year, the Comox Logging & Railway Company is being sued before Mr. Justice Morrison in the Supreme Court for $10,796 damages by Mrs. Addie L. Higgins, and for $4,634 damages by Chan Sing.

Mrs. Higgins is the owner of land, the Tyee Farm, near the land which was being logged by the company when the fire started. Chan Sing was lessee of the land. Alleging that the fire started through negligence of the company, the former is suing for the value of her land, and the latter for the value of his crops and labor in constructing drainage ditches.

Mr. Frank Higgins, K.C., appears for his wife and Chan Sing, and Mr. R. C. Lowe and Mr. P. P. Harrison for the defendant company.

Claim of Plaintiffs

The plaintiffs claim that the fire started during the logging operations, swept down on the Tyee Farm, destroyed the existing crops, injured the drainage system, burned valuable standing timber, and rendered the land worthless as a farm by ruining the peaty soil, which afterwards sank about one foot in level and was inundated with water. Value of the land as a game preserve was also destroyed, it is contended.

The company was operating a defective and dangerous system which caused the fire, the plaintiffs allege.

At the time the fire hazard was great, they say, and a strong wind was blowing. In face of these conditions, they charge, an improper lookout was maintained, insufficient safeguards were observed, and the efforts to control the fire were inefficient.

The defendant company denies all the charges of inefficiency, of carelessness, of negligence and of employment of a dangerous system of logging. It also claims that Tyee Farm was neither a productive farm nor a hunting preserve, but was an unproductive swamp.

Evidence Given

Hearing the testimony of thirty witnesses, many of them bronzed, stalwart loggers, occupied the time of the court all day yesterday and will proceed at 10:30 o'clock this morning.

Evidence produced by the plaintiffs tends to establish that the fire was the direct result of the generating of sparks by the parting of a cable near a spar tree used in the Legerwood system of logging. Plaintiffs claim that this system is unsafe from the standpoint of fire hazard and that the tree-jack system is safer.

Mr. Higgins introduced testimony of Mr. Robert Fillberg, superintendent of operations for the company, given at the examination for discovery, in the course of which the witness said that the company had experienced fires in three years prior to 1925, and in July of 1925. The evidence of Edwin Sackville and Norman Jane, loggers for the company, described the way in which the fire started and spread. The company had twenty-three men at that particular camp, number three, the latter said. The brush around the spar tree had not been cleared away and there were no barrels of water near it.

Logger Testifies

Alan Brady, a logger of many years' experience, said that the Legerwood system as employed by the company, was a faulty one. A cable should not be wrapped around a tree so that it crossed, because of the danger of a break promoted by friction. Logging with that system under the dry weather conditions was unsafe. The tree-jack system would have been safer. The company should have stopped operations as others had done. He had fought ten major fires and all but one successfully. Twenty-three men should have put out the fire in question. Clearing of brush around the spar tree and the availability of barrels of water there would have helped to prevent the conflagration.

Cross-questioned by Mr. Lowe, Brady said that a wire cable would often break because of an inherent defect that no inspection could discover beforehand.

Christopher E. Armstrong, forestry engineer, at one time holding responsible positions in the Government service, testified that the tree-jack system was less dangerous than the wrap or Legerwood system of logging. He had seen the friction of rubbing cables cause a forest fire. Assuming that there had been no breeze, the twenty-three men should have been able to put out the fire in question.

Value Depreciated

Frank Baker, a logger for seventeen years, corroborated the evidence of the preceding witnesses as regarded the superiority of the tree-jack system and the precautions that should have been observed by the company.

E. S. Musgrave, land surveyor, gave evidence respecting the area of Tyee Farm and the effect of the fire. He said that the soil was peaty and that it had been lowered one foot by the fire. To Mr. Lowe he admitted that he had heard the farm called Creech Swamp.

Arthur Coles, real estate dealer and former farmer, said that the farm had suffered depreciation in value of $14,985 as a consequence of the fire. For farming purposes the value of the land had been permanently destroyed. He based his estimates on figures given him of land values in the district by other real estate men, he told Mr. Lowe.

The value of the merchantable timber destroyed by the fire was $611, William Regan, timber cruiser swore. The fire had destroyed all young trees. The value of the timber would not have warranted the erection of a sawmill, he testified in cross-examination by Mr. Lowe. He could not say definitely whether it would be profitable to log the land. That would depend on how much was received for the timber.

Plaintiff Heard

Mrs. Higgins testified that the farm represented a cash investment of $15,000. She had intended to keep the timbered portions as a game preserve. The land had been leased to the Chinese on condition that the latter drained it and cultivated it properly. It was a swamp when she had acquired it.

Questioned by Mr. Lowe as to the value she had put on the property in 1923 in the course of giving evidence in connection with a lawsuit in that year, Mrs. Higgins declared that she had testified that it was not worth $2,000. The land had not been properly ditched then, she explained.

Chan Sing and Ah Sing, his brother, described the damage done by the fire and the loss the former had suffered as a consequence.

Mr. Lowe first called Matthias Hemingsen, logger of twenty years' experience, for the defence. Witness said he had seen the logging system used by the Comox Logging Company employed in different parts of the Province for many years. It was absolutely safe. He had seen many cables break, but no fires result.

Neale McGowen, who said that he had been logging in British Columbia for fifteen years, said that the Legerwood system of logging was safe. There was no reason why a cable should be crossed on being wrapped around a tree in the employment of this system.

Testimony for Defence

Cross-examined by Mr. Higgins, he said that several companies near Cowichan Lake had ceased operations at the time of the fire in question.

Called to the stand, Robert Fillberg, for seven years superintendent of operations for the company, said that his firm had logged between 1,500 and 2,000 million feet of timber in the last fifteen years without having a fire start from the breaking of a cable. The Legerwood was superior to the tree-jack system. The cable in question had not been used for more than one month. It was useless to clear the brush from around one spar tree without clearing it over the whole system, as a cable might part at any point.

The fire signal had been given thirty seconds after the outbreak. A minute or so later a tank car was pumping water on the blaze. Within an hour and a half, 300 men, seven locomotives and three or four tank cars were fighting the flames.

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PREPARATIONS MADE FOR POLITICAL CLUB

Committee Working on Formation of Sir John A. Macdonald Organization Meets Encouragement

The committee that has in hand the proposition for the formation of a Sir John A. Macdonald Club in this city has made progress and has appointed a sub-committee which will prepare a draft constitution and get ready for an open meeting at an early date for the organization of the club.

To this meeting will be invited all who have at heart the patriotic principles of the founder of the National policy in Canada and who laid the basis for the Liberal-Conservative Party of which he was so long the honored leader. The feeling on the part of those interested in the organization of this club is that the time is especially ripe for a return to the principles inaugurated by that great statesman.

Reports have been received from Duncan, Cowichan, Alberni and other points on the Island indicating that these places are prepared to follow the lead of Victoria in this matter of organizing clubs along the line suggested.

Grain Elevator Burns

MUNSON, Alta., March 29.—Fire of unknown origin completely destroyed the Alberta Pacific Grain Elevator here early Sunday morning causing a loss of $23,500. More than 8,000 bushels of wheat and 2,000 bushels of oats were lost. Both the building and the grain were fully covered by insurance.

Daughter of Richard Bennett Recovers From Accidental Poisoning

LOS ANGELES, March 29.—Barbara Bennett, daughter of Richard Bennett, well-known actor, was completely recovered today from the effects of poisonous antiseptic which she swallowed Saturday by mistake. Apparently considering the poisoning incident closed, police have centred their attention on efforts to determine the whereabouts of some $3,000 in cash and jewels which Miss Bennett declared had been stolen from her apartment while she was being treated at a receiving hospital.

Hanging From Tree

VANCOUVER, March 29.—Hanging from the limb of a tree, the body of James A. Pride, sixty-seven, was found with a rope around his neck at West Vancouver, a suburb, yesterday.

SITUATION TENSE IN CHINESE CITY

TIENTSIN NERVOUSLY WAITS FOR ARRIVAL OF CHANG TSO-LIN, WAR LORD

Rival Generals Seek Governorship of Chihli—Merchants Defrauded by Worthless Military Notes

TIENTSIN, March 29. — Chang Tsung-Chang and Li Ching-Ling, generals of the Shantung forces who recently captured the city from the Peking Government troops, are rivals for appointment to the civil governorship of Chihli Province.

The city is in a tense condition awaiting the arrival of Chang Tso-Lin, dictator of Manchuria, who is expected to appoint a governor. Chang Tso-Lin was expected in Tientsin today. A large bodyguard assembled at the city station, lined the streets and restricted traffic.

The troops were withdrawn later in the day when it was stated that the war lord would not arrive.

Chang Tsung-Chang, who already is governor of Shantung, went to Tongshan yesterday from Tientsin to meet Chang Tso-Lin to press his claim to the civil governorship of Chihli. His rival, Li Ching-Ling, who held the position until ousted by Marshal Feng Yu-Hsiang, commander of the National army troops, has resigned his claim for the time being.

Instead he has appointed his chief subordinate generals to posts of temporary civil and military governors, respectively.

The situation in Tientsin is very unsettled. Demands are being made upon merchants for funds and they are forced to accept worthless military notes. The Chamber of Commerce has closed its doors and many police have struck. No settlement is expected until Chang Tso-Lin arrives.

BULLET REBOUNDS FROM NEGRO'S SKULL

Rushed to Hospital After Shooting, Elijah Jokes Surgeon on Reaching Operating Table

LOS ANGELES, March 29.—Special Police Officer Brown saw Elijah Robertson, negro, attempting to force his way into a theatre Sunday, he reported to Central Station, and promptly drew his revolver and shot the negro in the back of the head. He then called a police ambulance and had Robertson removed to the receiving hospital. Placed on the operating table the negro exclaimed:

"Me shot, why doc, Ah ain't even got a headache."

Surgeons found that the bullet had struck him squarely in the back of the head and bounced off, leaving only a slight bruise. The negro said he merely wanted to get into the theatre to see "his girl." He was held for investigation.

CLAIMS $14,000 FROM LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Port Neville Rancher Asks Compensation for Timber Burned in "Backfiring"

VANCOUVER, March 29.—A claim for $14,000 is being filed against the Provincial Lands Department by A. S. Burchett, Port Neville rancher, as a sequel to the disastrous forest fire in that region last year in which one forest ranger gave his life to save the inhabitants of the town.

The claim against the Government is a sequel to a discontinued action begun by Burchett against D. McDougall, forest ranger, who set fire to Burchett's timber for the purpose of checking the main conflagration by means of what is known as "backfiring."

J. Edward Sears, who was retained by the Lands Department to defend the suit against McDougall today received an affidavit in which the plaintiff announces discontinuance of the suit and determination to make a claim against the Government.

After having examined McDougall on discovery the plaintiff's solicitor deposes that he now believes McDougall acted in the public interest in firing Burchett's timber to save greater and more valuable tracts beyond. For this reason instead of a damage action against McDougall he now purposes proceeding by filing a bill of rights for compensation from the Crown for the loss of his timber, valued at $14,000.

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RESULT IN WEST MIDDLESEX

The return of Mr. J. C. Elliott in the by-election in West Middlesex will prove no surprise in any quarter and least of all to the Conservatives. They never expected to win the seat, but it was desirable that they should enter a candidate lest their action in permitted other ministerial by-elections to remain uncontested by their party should be misunderstood. The election of Mr. Elliott does not affect the standing of the parties in Parliament. It gives no indication of any change of political viewpoint in the country. It establishes nothing, in fact, but confirms the serious thought being given by Mr. Mackenzie King and his Ministers to the constituencies they are prepared to open.

The Government will probably find it desirable to give Ontario another Cabinet Minister before long. Mr. Malcolm, who holds North Bruce, is considered the likely appointee and again the Government will have chosen a constituency which, because of local conditions, will no doubt show its adherence to the Liberal faith. The reorganization of the Cabinet is a question of political expediency and that is the governing factor in the seats that are declared vacant. When Mr. King himself was elected in Prince Albert, the result was hailed as the voice of the West. The liveliest stretch of the imagination will hardly hail the decision of West Middlesex yesterday as the voice of Ontario.

SWEDEN'S TIMBER

An interesting review of the Swedish lumbering industry from the pen of Chr. Storjohann, the president of the Swedish Cellulose Association, appears in an artificial silk number of The London Times. He estimates that Sweden possesses in round figures 24,000,000 hectares of forest land. A hectare is equal to 2.45 acres and the acreage of timbered country is therefore more than half of the whole country. Of this resource 9,000,000 hectares belong to the state or to public institutions. The dominating species of trees are pine and fir. The estimated new growth of timber is about 40,000,000 cubic metres per annum, and the annual felling somewhat over this figure. M. Storjohann says that of the annual yield fully fifty per cent is used for the export of unworked timber, sawn and worked timber, etc., and for the manufacture of wood pulp, while the remainder is used for mining timber and the country's own requirements.

In Sweden there are seed-raising institutions and nurseries for the raising of forest trees all over the country. It is an undoubted fact that by the maintenance and extension of the present stock of timber "the economic position of the country is being strengthened and improved." In this respect M. Storjohann says: "A shortage of raw material for the wood-working industry is approaching and those countries which limit cutting to the annual growth should be able to count on deriving very great economic advantages from this policy in the future."

IMAGINATION AS CURE

Dr. Gustave Monod, of Paris, has been dealing with the subject of imagination as a method of treatment in a lecture before the Royal Society of Medicine entitled "From Cagliostro to Coue." Imagination, he admits, was the only method of treatment for disease up to the time of Hippocrates. He admits, further, that the present condition of general mental instability in the world, and of universal lack of criticism, is very much in favor of anyone who wishes to work on imagination rather than on ordinary common sense. The methods and achievements of Cagliostro, the "perfect quack of the 18th century," of David Gruby, a most original physician of the 19th century, and of Emile Coue, the protagonist of imagination, are described by Dr. Monod. Coue, he says, uses a catch phrase and the rosary, and, dealing with a certain class of patient, he has achieved remarkable cures and "turned them into beaming automatic puppets."

In the main, however, Dr. Monod points to the danger of substituting subconsciousness for conscience in the moral world. From the purely medical point of view he believes the fallacies of the imagination treatment of infections or organic diseases apply to any other branch of activity. "For instance," he says, "a golfer may reduce his handicap by not laying so much stress on the difficulties of the game and by adopting a winning mental attitude. He will thus play automatically instead of being concerned with himself. Therefore," asks Dr. Monod, "why not use a catch phrase such as 'every day I play every stroke better and better'?" From the practical point of view, medicine, he says, is not merely an art, but the craft of healing. He admits that the profession must be more fully alive to the possibility of a combined body and mind cure, but, relying on pure imagination is a retrogression to the present medical standard on the Upper Zambesi. He believes the successful physician is the man of experience and personality, who plants his faith on science and places his hope on his treatment. Thus faith and hope are two of his virtues, but there is a third, the greatest of all, and that is charity.

PROVINCIAL POLICE

Courtenay is the latest of the Island districts to yield to the suasion of the Attorney General's office and permit the Provincial Police to take over the conduct of the observance of the law. There is a studied attempt to induce the smaller municipalities to give up certain rights that they possess, so that these rights can be centred in the Parliament Buildings of this city. If it is possible to keep the activities of the Provincial police out of politics, and we hope it is, then the new arrangement will, in every possibility, work for the welfare of the districts concerned. If, on the other hand, the Government attempts to use its new power to increase its party affiliations much harm will be accomplished. What is being done is in the nature of an experiment. It rests with the Government, and particularly with the Attorney General's office, to prove how far it will be a success, and in the process party politics must be forgotten.

In Britain they are still searching for a trade name for artificial silk. Two years ago the name "rayon" was adopted in the United States, and subsequently endorsed by the Silk Association of Great Britain. The British people apparently have not taken to that name, perhaps because it conveys so little of the meaning it is intended to convey. Apparently the best word suggested so far is "glossamer," but it has not been adopted. Recently a prize was offered in Britain for a new word for the textile, and from among some hundreds of names sent in to The Drapers' Organizer, "celline" was chosen. That was found, however, to be a registered name already, so the question of what to call artificial silk still remains hung up in the air.

Of the export trade of the Irish Free State for the year ending December 31 last, Great Britain and Northern Ireland took goods valued at £40,600,000, while all other countries between them took less than £1,500,000. The change in the status of Southern Ireland has made no difference in her dependence on Britain's markets. There has been, however, a somewhat substantial decline in the trade returns of the Free State during 1925. Imports for the year amounted to £60,550,541, as compared with the previous year's figure of £65,811,406, while exports were £40,774,182 as compared with £48,448,395.

Mr. M. B. Jackson, chairman of the Game Conservation Board, says the Government is going ahead with its campaign against the crows. In other words, it insists on paying others to do work that it will not do itself. Mr. Jackson is at least candid. He says the campaign is being launched designedly now to destroy the crows in their nesting time. Thus does the Government by its action tend to destroy the value of humane teaching in the schools by telling everyone with a gun to shoot to kill and shoot often.

Mr. W. M. Birks has been telling the Rotary Club at Montreal that after a six months' visit to Britain he he absorbed his "saddest and most hopeless impression" in regard to Canada's immigration policy there. Indeed, he says that three-quarters of the money now spent on immigration is on exclusion. Mr. Birks was a voluntary and unprejudiced observer. His commentary on the methods of the Government in inducing settlers to come here from the Old Land is anything but comforting.

The London New Statesman says that Sir Austen Chamberlain is the first British Foreign Secretary who has ever contrived to be in a minority in his own country. It alludes to his attitude at Geneva. Needless to say, this somewhat exaggerated political comment was written before Sir Austen received a substantial vote of support in the House of Commons for his conduct during the recent meeting of the Assembly of the League of Nations.

I SAW TWO EYES

I saw two eyes of periwinkle blue,
Wistful, luminous;
They gazed at me a curtained window through,
Those wistful eyes of periwinkle blue.

I saw a head of palest, golden hair,
Pale cheeks, baby nose;
A primrose could not be more truly fair
Than those pale baby cheeks and that gold hair.

I saw in a garden kept by rose-veiled Love
Tiny flowerlets;
Transplanted here some drooped; recalled above
They bloomed in the garden kept by rose-veiled Love.

—Larrie Kilgour.

Eggs covered with boiling water and allowed to stand for five minutes are more digestible than those allowed to boil for three minutes.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

An American newspaper foresees the day when all the world will be "listening-in," and thinks the result will be the adoption of a universal language. That is an interesting thought and is worthy of more or less serious speculative consideration. Music, which at present is the most attractive by-product of the radio, carries a message which is understood by all peoples and their kindred. In fact, music at the present stage of radio development is the only feature of the wireless transmission of sound that is worth listening to. Most of the transmitted speeches and talks are just so much rubbish, cluttering up the air and exasperating those who tune-in in the hope of hearing something else. At least that is the view of many of the "listeners-in" in this part of the radio world.

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The foregoing is especially true of the women who discharge their thoughts and their sentiments into the microphone. The voice of a woman raised in song is quite pleasant to the ear, but the voice of the radio woman engaged in exhortation or declamation, with its false accentuation, its extraordinary inflection and its peculiar "pitch," grates on the ear like a file on a buzz-saw and produces patches of goose flesh on every inch of skin on the human body. The art of speaking correctly into the microphone has not yet been acquired in this part of the English-speaking world.

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Still, the radio is yet but a young thing, and it may improve as it adds to its years. The time may come when all the people of the world will be eagerly listening-in and greedily absorbing the ideas and the news that is flung at random into the air. We do not think when that time comes the ideas and the news will be flashed through the air in a specially created universal language. Language cannot be made. It must be produced from a germ, and just grow, like Topsy. The Detroit paper seems to think that the most likely universal language is the English language—or the American language, as The Free Press prefers to call it.

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Of course, we believe that the American paper is right, but we dread to think what Signor Mussolini may do if he ever hears of such a "proposition." The Italians already speak most eloquently to all the world in the universal language of music, and their accepted leader dreams dreams of Italy leading the world in all the arts and sciences, including the applied science of war. We therefore dread the idea of rousing the lion in Mussolini by suggesting that he may have competition in any of his schemes of universal dominion. What with static and squealers and other demons of the air, radio reception is trying enough to the nerves at the present time. If the shrieking and gesticulating master of Italy were to add his voice to the howling chorus, that surely would prove the last straw.

The ill wind of prohibition in the United States (if it is an ill wind) has blown some rubbish out of Canada. The professional uplifters on the other side are so busy fighting the wet down-pullers that they have no time to come over here for the purpose of uplifting Canadians—for a "consideration." And the probability is that we shall be left in our degenerate state for a year or two at least.

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The "wets" are striving with all their might to persuade Congress to authorize a plebiscite on the question of the public sale of "liquor." The "drys" are exhorting Congress to keep its hands off the prohibition law. In every State of the Union the "drys" are calling meetings and assailing all who would dare to tamper with the provisions of the prohibition law. A roaring tempest of expostulation and denunciation is sweeping over the country from Maine to California. The practical politicians, with their customary astuteness, are "sitting tight" and saying nothing.

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While a storm of unexampled violence is roaring on the other side, a sweet and perfect peace broods like a cooing dove over Canada. That at least is something to be thankful for. Let the reformers rant and rave over there for a generation, and we shall dwell in comparative tranquility over here, for just as soon as the forces engaged in battle in the United States are released from warfare they will surge over the border into this country. Then conditions will become like the conditions described in the following verses, written years ago by an Englishman named Cannon, and kindly forwarded to us by a reader of The Colonist:

"I'm thankful that the sun and moon
Are both hung up so high
That no pretentious hand can stretch
And pull them from the sky.
If they were not, I have no doubt
But some reforming ass
Would recommend to take them down
And light the world with gas."

A member of the Canadian Parliament has aptly described the old age pension measure of the Government of Rt. Hon. William Lyon Mackenzie King as merely a gesture. The measure is a gesture—nothing more. Everything connected with it is provisional. It is to become effective when the Provinces accept it and adopt it. We are told that none of the Provinces will adopt it, with the possible exception of the Province of British Columbia. If British Columbia were to adopt it and it became effective the Dominion dare not accept it, because the taxpayers of all the other Provinces would refuse to contribute through the Dominion to a measure whose benefits applied only to British Columbia. Still this gesture beguiled certain members elected as "Independents" to support the Government.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

A Protest

Sir,—Will you kindly give me space for a strongly-felt protest against the wholesale slaughter of crows as lately announced in your columns. It was with a shock of horror that many of us read details of the cruel place for their destruction, shortly to be carried out. If it has really become necessary to lessen the number of crows now at our coasts, surely a less revolting means for their riddance should be adopted—not alone for the sake of the poor suffering birds, but also for the moral effect upon our children who are asked to pepper away at them with their air-guns, sling-shots, or whatever means of killing may suggest itself to their ever-active imaginations. Furthermore, as an extra inducement a reward of ten cents a head is to be paid for their killing.

Not only will such a measure, if carried out, kill many of the unfortunate birds, but it will most assuredly kill out all the naturally kindly impulses of childhood for animal life that both parents in the homes and teachers in our schools have earnestly striven to develope—the God-like qualities of love and mercy which most endear the hearts of our children and young people to us.

If our children are to be encouraged in cruelty and the love of animal bloodshed, then what hope remains for the avoidance of future wars and human slaughter on a scale even more sweeping and indiscriminate than during our recent terrible World Ward?

Useless are our Geneva protests and national leagues if the children of today are to be allowed and paid for taking part in the wholesale slaughter of animal and bird life.

The principles inculcated during our early years are the ones usually most dominant throughout our later life. Then think what a Spring crop is about to be sown—for inevitable future reaping—by this recently proposed plan of most revolting bird slaughter.

In the words of one of our well-beloved English poets I can best close this plea for the poor doomed birds:

"He prayeth best who loveth most
All things both great and small,
For the dear Lord who loveth us
He made and loves them all."

E. H. SUDDABY.

974 Island Road, Oak Bay, B.C., March 27, 1926.

The War on Crows

Sir,—On behalf of thinking men and women, and particularly on behalf of those who, as educationists, have the welfare of the young at heart, may we be permitted to express our heartiest thanks for The Colonist's editorial on Sunday entitled "A Cruel Ukase." While education is doing its best to lay the foundations of an intelligent, right-minded, justice-loving society by inculcating in the young the kindly and helpful treatment not only of each other, but of all creatures, by stimulating their interest in the manifold forms of life in nature and by teaching their marvelous interdependence, the one upon the other, suddenly the Government bursts forth with a measure for the extermination of crows (that, too, of all gross cruelties at their nesting season) and at one fell swoop tries to sweep into its campaign of destruction the very children whom teachers and parents alike are training slowly but consistently (and already there is much good fruit showing) in the laws of kindness, gentleness and understanding. Are the very foundations of the good work of parents, Sunday school teachers and the body of educationists of the province to be sapped away by an apparently ill-digested enactment of the Government?

In an article entitled "Communized Emotion," which appeared in The Forum some time ago, the writer, who is considered an expert analyst of social problems, states that "The undifferentiated mass is united more solidly in support of persecutions than in any other activity." We are convinced that the above statement does not apply to the City of Victoria. We trust that Victoria, capital of the province, will show in no doubtful manner, that in this matter, as in many others, she does not belong to the "undifferentiated mass" prone to violent measures, but that, as the head of the province, she will act as a centre of right-thinking people who, not only out of their real love for children, but also from a keen sense of the adult's moral responsibility towards the young, desire that at least the children's hands may be kept clean from slaughter.

ANNIE T. RIDDELL.

434 Simcoe Street, Victoria, B.C., March 29, 1926.

Cruelty to Goats

Sir,—I read with interest Miss Kitto's condemnation of inhuman methods for the extermination of the crow, but I wonder what that lady will think of the said method applied to a poor, inoffensive, defenceless goat?

Returning from a stroll in Pemberton Woods some few weeks ago, I say my goats huddled together, evidently in great distress, and trying desperately to push their way through the fence, and I hurried to the gate, expecting to find some stray dog as the cause of the trouble, but instead, I saw a youth of some seventeen years of age standing on his veranda, armed with an air gun, the weapon that Miss Kitto condemns for use against the crows. At first I was too anxious about my terrified and trembling goats to take much notice of the boy, but judge of my horror when a friend informed me that the cruel young savage had been engaged in the noble pastime of shooting at my poor pets. My informant, who knew my goats further indicated the one which I call "Angie," that had been the chief victim of the wanton and sexless cruelty of the youth in question.

My poor Angie was due to kid in April, but gave birth to three dead kids about a month before the time. For about a week she lingered in great agony, but finally died with her head in my lap. Not alone was she a great pet, but she provided my chief sustenance for, being an invalid, I am confined to a milk diet, and she was just six years old, well bred and in her prime.

To me it seems a terrible thing, in this enlightened age, with its free education, etc., that a youth of that age should be so utterly lost to all sense of humanity as to inflict an injury on a poor, harmless, defenceless animal—one of the most sensitive and timid of creatures, the pet of a widow, and if the twig is so bent how will the tree incline? It augurs ill for his future. I know what boys are; my own were not angels, but I am thankful to say that they were not unmanly, and when the call came they went forth to shoot the enemies of their country, the youngest being but very little older than the young pet-shooting miscreant.

I did not expostulate with him at the time, as on a previous occasion when I spoke to him, and also his eldest brother, about breaking down my fence, the young hooligans merely made rude gestures by way of reply, a sort of gesture you could accredit to "the little vulgar boy" of "The Inzoldby Legends."

I reported the case at the time to Inspector Maurice, of the S.P.C.A., who, I believe, called the attention of the police to the case. But I hope the Goat Association will take up the matter, in the endeavor to prevent the use of air guns in the public streets, and also that some effort be made to instil in the minds of the young the harmful effects of cruelty to dumb, helpless animals.

MRS. HORACE R. HARRISON.

1782 Fairfield Road, Victoria, B.C., March 27, 1926.

Saanich Fruit Growers

Sir,—Mr. H. Buckle, in his letter in The Sunday Colonist, is running true to form, and in an attempt to soothe his inordinate vanity and wounded pride, seeks to explain to the public that the reason of his resignation from the directorate of the Saanich Fruit Growers' Association was due to his lack of confidence in the remaining four directors, but he omitted to explain that these gentlemen received an overwhelming vote of confidence from the members at the last general meeting, where all the issues contained in his letter were fought out, and the present directorate vindicated and sustained.

Mr. H. C. Oldfield is now our president in place of Mr. Buckle, and with vacancies on the Board filled by Messrs. McCarthy, McIntosh and J. N. Wood, we are looking forward to a resumption of the cordial relations between our members, so lamentably absent during Mr. Buckle's term of office.

My connection with the Growers' Wine Company is simply following out the instructions of an extraordinary resolution passed by the Association in 1924, wherein I was given authority to "exercise all rights of membership and shares held by the Association in that company," and if in that connection, and with the help of Mr. Oldfield, Mr. Holloway and the growers, who control the majority of shares, we were able to obtain $50 per ton more for logans in 1925 than in 1924, surely Mr. Buckle can have no reasonable objection to a policy that is consistent with good business, and which has resulted beneficially, not only in better prices, but in the renewed hope that the Wine Company has given to loganberry growers.

In referring to a certain brokerage firm that handled our 1925 crop, Mr. Buckle is guilty of deliberate falsehood when he states that the Saanich directors seem determined to ship through that channel, but he conveniently forgets that at a joint directors' meeting on February 5, 1925, he himself seconded a resolution which was unanimously passed by fourteen directors, authorizing that firm to handle our fruit on the Prairie market. At no time have I attempted to dominate in the marketing policy, but, in acting as secretary at the joint meetings, have, in conjunction with the manager of the Gordon Head Association, carried out instructions to the best of my ability. Saanich and Gordon Head Associations are at the present time in communication with several firms, and when the different propositions from these are to hand, they will be carefully considered before any action is taken.

Mr. Buckle states that "one cannot serve two masters," and I feel that this is particularly true of himself, as blind prejudice and biased judgment cannot be compatible with good administration, and so, the growers, being cognizant of this, gave him an opportunity to resign, but not being a good sport, he appeals to the public, while we, who have the interests of the Association at heart, discuss and settle our problems with our members, the only ones concerned.

H. E. TANNER.

Secretary Saanich Fruit Growers' Association, Keating, B.C., March 29, 1926.

The Crow

Sir,—The edict for the extermination of the crow which has been so lightly issued has already been so ably criticized by correspondents that further comment would seem unnecessary. There is one phase of the question, however, to which I would particularly like to draw attention. Do the gentlemen who so lightly issued the monstrous edict realize the fact that long before they came into existence the crow was here? and in my own recollection game was in abundance everywhere in the Province, even in the outskirts of an old-established city like Victoria. The sins and virtues of the crow have been so often and ably expatiated upon that it is needless to say anything further on the subject, but I would like to remind my readers of the action of a former government which, on being petitioned to order a bounty for the extermination of the crow, instituted an inquiry throughout the Province and the adjoining States, the result of which was that the petition was not granted. The gentlemen who issued the edict are evidently of a different opinion. I am reminded of the lines:

"But man vain man,
Dress'd in a little brief authority,
Will play such fantastic tricks
Before high heaven
As makes the angels weep."

Better place a bounty on the motorist who, armed with all the most modern appliances for the destruction of game both by land and water, invades every part of the Province.

JAMES R. ANDERSON.

Union Club, Victoria, B.C., March 29, 1926.

Notable Anniversaries

Sir Henry Wotton, like Dr. Samuel Johnson, owed a large share of his celebrity to his biographer. No less a personage than good old Izaak Walton performed this service for Wotton, with whom he spent many hours angling in the Thames. Sir Henry was born on March 30, 1568, at Boughton Hall, in Kent, and was educated at Winchester School and Oxford. He traveled extensively in Europe with the idea of becoming a diplomat, and in the course of his journeys gathered information which was of service to the Earl of Essex. This was followed later by his taking some part in the Earl's plottings against Queen Elizabeth, and he left England again to travel on the Continent. The Grand Duke of Tuscany having heard of a plot to murder James VI of Scotland, sent Wotton with letters of warning to that monarch, and it was due to the favor he gained with James that he was subsequently appointed Ambassador to the Court of Venice, being also sent to Vienna to further the cause of King James' daughter, the Queen of Bohemia. In honor of the latter he wrote his celebrated poem, "On His Mistris, the Queen of Bohemia." Returning to England in 1624, Wotton was made provost of Eton College, which office he held until his death in 1639. His duties at Eton left him much time for pursuit of his favorite pastime, angling, in company with his friends, Izaak Walton and John Hales.

To obtain power without fuel cost, California engineers plan to use steam from hot springs.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of March 30, 1876)

List of passengers for Victoria per steamship Dakota: Mr. Boyd, Mr. Ponsini, Auguste Burns, James Joyce and wife, Ben Lale, J. Crossman, Mr. Kingelhardt, Mr. Tibbals, H. S. Brown, Joseph Brown, J. Smith, J. Fosplace, P. Lienchiry, D. Wright, Rev. W. Cathon, Mrs. Stafford and two children, Mrs. H. Stafford, Mary Spafford, Fanny Spafford, Henry Spafford, S. G. Smith, J. C. Bales, R. Melbumell, Capt. A. Insley, Miss Insley, Miss Sincerbeaus, Miss L. Odin, Wm. Sincerbeaus, G. Odin, G. Wall, D. P. Packard, Mrs. Jane Hitchcock, Miss Mary A. Clark, and 111 in the steerage.

The steamer Enterprise arrived here at 1 p.m. yesterday from New Westminster with the following passengers on board: Mrs. Jolly, Capt. Raymur, R. W. Pearse, J. A. Mara, W. Fisher, G. Landreit, Grafton, C. Todd Robertson.

The news of the loss of the Pacific did not reach Dease Creek till the 17th of February, when Mr. McKay arrived at Lakelsmen with a copy of The Colonist containing the sad intelligence.

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Members of other local lodges and sojourning brethren in good standing are also invited to attend.

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Sightseers Flock to Diggings—Miners Forced to Rope Curious Crowd Off From Claims

LOS ANGELES, March 29.—Desert roads leading toward the Kramer Hills, east of Mojave, where California's latest gold strike was made two weeks ago, today resemble caravan routes over which scores of prospectors are urging their automobiles through the sand wastes. The flivver has supplanted the lowly burro of former gold rushes.

Reports of returning prospectors say that gold in paying quantities is being taken within six feet of the surface and that assays of ore are running from $500 to $3,000 a ton.

A miniature city of tents has sprung up within an area of five miles square and hundreds of claims are being staked. Several thousand persons visited the scene Sunday, many of them merely for curiosity, but a large percentage prepared to pitch their tents in the foothills. Visitors Sunday centered principally around the Hagelrath mine, where the first strike was made. Edward Hagelrath, owner of the mine, entertained the crowd by panning handfuls of the "pay dirt" which, he said, was worth from $1.50 to $3 per handful.

So ambitious became some of the spectators that Hagelrath was compelled to rope off his diggings to prevent panning by the wholesale.

MR. J. H. SENKLER PASSES TO BEYOND

Prominent Vancouver Barrister and Once Great Athlete Dies—Fails to Recover After Operation

VANCOUVER, March 29.—Unable to survive the shock of a serious operation performed on Monday last in the Vancouver General Hospital, J. H. Senkler, K.C., died at an early hour Sunday morning.

Mr. Senkler, who was senior partner in the law firm of Senkler, Buell and Van Horne, was in his sixtieth year. He is survived by a widow, two sons, H. R. Senkler, of Portland, Ore, and Albert E. Senkler, of Vancouver; four daughters, Mrs. D. B. Manley, Miss Phebe, Miss Norah and Miss Katherine, all of Vancouver, and one brother, E. C. Senkler, K.C., of Victoria, secretary of the British Columbia Law Society.

Born in Ontario

Mr. Senkler was born in Brockville, Ont., in 1866, the son of Edmund John Senkler, judge of the County of Lincoln. He was educated at the St. Catharines Collegiate Institute, Upper Canada College, and Toronto University and studied law at Osgoode Hall, Toronto. He was called to the Ontario bar in September, 1892, coming the following January to Vancouver.

In politics Mr. Senkler was for many years a prominent figure in the Liberal Party, being a candidate in the Provincial election of 1910. A year later, when he contested the Vancouver Federal seat, he again went down to defeat in the election which ended the term of the Laurier Government.

It was in athletics that Mr. Senkler established an envied reputation. It is doubtful if Canada ever produced a greater all-round athlete. In his college days he captained the Osgoode Hall football team, which won the Dominion championship, was selected on the Canadian football team to tour England, and was a member of the Argonaut four, which won the American championship in the early nineties.

He was a member of the old Vancouver Boating Club, and later captained the Vancouver Rowing Club for five years. He was considered one of the greatest No. 3's who ever rowed on the Pacific Coast. In cricket, baseball, rugby and on the track he was equally efficient, being chosen on all "rep" teams when in his prime.

PREMIER CONSULTED ON NORTHERN COLONY

Representatives of Canadian National Railways Here to Seek Support for Migration Scheme

After a consultation with Premier Oliver and Hon. E. D. Barrow, Mr. W. H. Robb, vice-president, and Dr. W. J. Black, director of colonization of the Canadian National Railways, left yesterday afternoon on their return journey.

They arrived here on Sunday for the purpose of placing before the Government the company's plans for bringing suitable immigrants to Northern British Columbia.

From Montreal, the officials have visited various offices of their departments, including in their itinerary Toronto, Chicago, St. Paul, Winnipeg, Saskatoon and Edmonton.

Plans are being made for the settlement of small groups of Norwegians along the railway line in Central British Columbia, from Prince George westward, it is stated, these settlers being in possession of sufficient funds with which to get started.

Instruction in Canadian farming also is being given through the office in London, whereby intending settlers are prepared for taking up land in this country.

It is estimated that twenty-five per cent more settlers will come to this province this year than arrived during 1925, while preparations are being made for the handling of a considerable number of experienced farmers from the United States.

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The debenture issue of Esquimalt Municipality to cover the $12,000 necessary for the erection of the new High School will be taken up by R. F. Castle & Co., of this city, at the price of 98.53. The debentures carry five per cent and extend over ten years.

The municipal council awarded the tender last night from the following list of offers:

R. F. Castle & Co., 98.53; Pemberton & Son, 97.55; R. G. Christy & Co., 96.335; Royal Financial Corporation, 98.17; Gillespie, Hart & Todd, 96.90; and A. E. Ames, 96.89.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., March 29, 1926.

TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	46	57
Vancouver	42	62
Kamloops	40	64
Barkerville	32	44
Prince Rupert	44	56
Estevan	48	60
Dawson, Y.T.	18	44
Calgary, Alta.	20	40
Winnipeg, Man.	8	20
Portland, Ore.	46	74
San Francisco, Cal.	54	74
Seattle	50	66
Spokane	34	58
Penticton	42	64
Vernon	38	52
Grand Forks	41	62
Nelson	38	58
Kaslo	32	56
Cranbrook	20	50
Edmonton	20	34
Prince Albert	6	38
Swift Current	4	30
Qu'Appelle	6	24

MONDAY

Maximum	57
Minimum	46
Average	51
Minimum on the grass	39

Bright sunshine 9 hours, 42 minutes.
General state of the weather fair.

FORECAST

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds, partly cloudy and mild.

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5 P.M. Weather Reports

Victoria—Barometer, 30.02; wind, S.W., 8 miles; fair.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.00; wind, N.W., 4 miles; fair.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.92; wind, W., 4 miles; fair.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.10; calm; cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.24; calm; fair.

Estevan—Barometer, 30.02; wind, N.W., 28 miles; clear.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.02; wind, S.W., 16 miles; fair.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 29.96; wind, W., 4 miles; clear.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.00; wind, N.W., 4 miles; clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.86; wind, W., 10 miles; clear.

Harassed Passenger: "Do you think I shall catch the 10.20, porter?"

Porter: "You might; it has only ten minutes' start."

Obituary

FREEMAN—The body of the late Judge Alfred Alexander Freeman will be removed from the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, this morning to the residence of his daughter, Mrs. J. O. Cameron, 1085 Moss Street, where the funeral service will be held at three o'clock, when the Rev. F. H. Fatt will officiate, after which the body will be laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

MOSS—Mrs. Alice Moss, widow of the late James Moss, passed away yesterday afternoon at her residence, 1517 Quadra Street, in her eighty-eighth year. The late Mrs. Moss and her husband came to Victoria from England in 1862 on the sailing ship Silestria, which took six months on the voyage. The family had lived here ever since. Mr. Moss predeceased his wife thirteen years ago. Mrs. Moss is survived by three sons, George and Harry Moss in Seattle and James Moss in Victoria, district manager of the Continental Life Assurance Association; three daughters, Mrs. Frank Partridge, 1250 Fairfield Road, Mrs. H. D. Stephens and Miss Nellie Moss, all of Victoria, also four grandchildren and two great grandchildren. The late Mrs. Moss was a life member of the Metropolitan United Church. The body is resting at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, from whence the funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon at two o'clock, when the Rev. Dr. W. J. Sipprell will conduct the service, after which the body will be laid to rest in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

DAVIS—The funeral of the late Jessie K. Davis took place in Berkeley, California, on Friday at 11 a.m., Christian Science service being held. Many friends attended and the casket was covered with beautiful floral offerings. The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. A. E. Harris, A. Saylor, C. Olney, C. Henderson, L. Belk, W. Zerwer. After cremation the remains will be forwarded for interment in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

KER—Funeral service for the late Mr. Thomas A. Ker will be held at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Saturday morning at 10:30. The Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick will officiate and interment will be made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

FRASER—Funeral service for the late Mrs. Elise Irvine Fraser will be held at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel this afternoon at 4 o'clock. The body will be laid to rest at Royal Oak Burial Park.

MILLER — The death occurred early yesterday morning of Leslie Alexander Miller, aged twenty-four years. He was born in Surrey, England, and was a resident of Victoria for the last eighteen years. He leaves his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. William Miller, of 2817 Fifth Street. The body is resting at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, where service has been arranged for Wednesday afternoon at 2:30. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

HOWE—The funeral of the late Thomas S. Howe, who passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on March 25, took place yesterday morning, under the auspices of Aerie No. 12, Fraternal Order of Eagles, from the Sands Funeral Chapel at 8.50 o'clock, and ten minutes later mass was held at St. Andrew's Cathedral by the Rev. Father Deeley. The pallbearers were: H. Siebenbaum, C. Nelson, L. Montobbio and Capt. A. C. Folger. Interment took place at Ross Bay Cemetery.

BISHOP—The death occurred at an early hour yesterday morning at the Royal Jubilee Hospital of William John Bishop, aged fifty-one years. He was born in Strathroy, Ontario, and had been a resident of this city for the past twenty-six years, lately residing at 1510 Blanshard Street. He was the beloved husband of Mrs. Florence Bishop, and is survived by his widow, one son, William John, and one daughter, Beverly, at home; also two sisters in Ontario and a sister in Detroit, Mich. The funeral will take place tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel under the auspices of Aerie No. 12, Fraternal Order of Eagles. Interment will take place at Royal Oak Burial Park.

SINCLAIR—The funeral of the late Elizabeth Sinclair, who passed away on Friday evening took place yesterday afternoon from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home. The service was conducted by the Rev. J. H. White, assisted by the Rev. F. Hardy, and was attended by a large number of friends. The hymns, "Rock of Ages" and "Hold Thou My Hand," were sung during the service, also "Under His Wings" was sung as a solo. Interment was made in Royal Oak Burial Park, with the following relatives as pallbearers: The Rev. J. P. Westman and Mr. J. F. Hanna, sons-in-law; Dr. George Sinclair, Vancouver, son; Mr. Arnold Hanna, Mayor of Alberni, and Messrs. Roy and Allan Hanna, of Port Alberni, grandsons.

BROOKS—The funeral of the late Ellen Brooks will take place tomorrow afternoon from the family residence, 2838 Shakespeare Street, to Oaklands Gospel Hall, where services will be held at 2:30 o'clock, after which interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

PATRONS AT FAIR MAY PURCHASE LOTS

City Council Decides to Apply for Booth at Victoria Home Products Exhibition

The City Council last night approved the land committee's proposal to make application for a booth at the Victoria Home Products Fair, to be held next month, for the City Land Department, and appropriated a sum of $100 for necessary expenses. The department will endeavor to dispose of as many reverted properties as possible to patrons of the fair.

Authority was granted by the council for the sale to a nominee of the Victoria Home Products Fair committee of a city-owned reverted lot for the sum of one dollar, the said nominee to pay the usual fee of $5 for execution of conveyance. This lot will be disposed of by the fair committee as it may deem best to further the promotion of the success of the fair.

Two properties which have reverted to the city, one on the west side of Vivian Street, between Denman and Pembroke Streets, and the other on the east side of Forbes Street, between Denman and Pembroke Streets, were set aside at the request of the Board of School Trustees for future possible use for school purposes.

Permission was granted to the A.O.F. to park cars on the unoccupied portion of the lot situated on the northwest corner of Blanshard and Cormorant Streets, subject to twenty-four hours' notice to vacate.

The council accepted the offer of Mr. John Lefevre, of 2604 Roseberry Street, to purchase for the sum of $150 a lot on the south side of Green Street, between Quadra and Adela Streets, subject to discount for cash. This property reverted to the city at the 1924 tax sale.

It was decided to sell to Mr. Ernest Edward Blake, for 2114 Victor Street, for the sum of $75, a portion of a lot on the west side of Victor Street, between Denman and Pembroke Streets. This reverted to the city at the 1922 tax sale.

Suspected Man Held

HALIFAX, March 29.—Major B. R. Currie, special investigator for the Attorney-General's Department, and Chief of Police O'Brien, of Mulgrave, left today for Regina to bring back George Peoples, who is being held by the police of that city in connection with the death of his wife, whose body was found at the foot of the cellar stairs in their home at Pirate Cove, Guysboro County, last January.

"Ashes of Love," After Week of Scant Houses, Withdrawn in Gotham

NEW YORK, March 29 — The Countess of Cathcart has withdrawn her play, "Ashes of Love" from Broadway after a week of scanty audiences. "I am closing 'Ashes of Love' because it is bad," she said. "I know that because I had very little experience in playwriting the play, however, was not the same that I had written. It was changed so much. I shall have another shot at writing one, and hope to do better."

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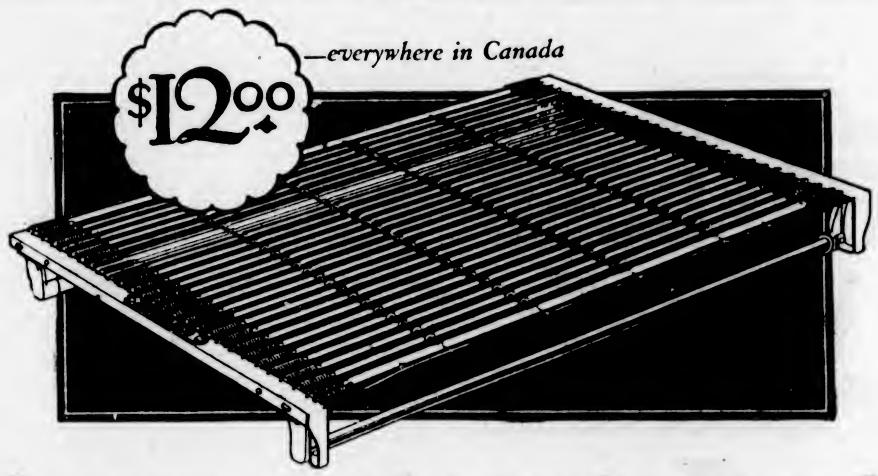

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ESQUIMALT AGAIN DEBATES MEMORIAL

Council Defers Request to Place Granite on Site Until Matter Further Considered

The war memorial question came unexpectedly before the Esquimalt Council last night. A delegation, headed by Rev. Canon Stocken, representing the committee having the memorial in hand waited on the council and asked permission to place a quantity of granite that was available for use in constructing the memorial, on the proposed site in Memorial Park.

Quite a spirited discussion followed before it was finally decided to lay the consideration of the request over for a future meeting of the council.

The information was forthcoming before the close that the present council had decided upon the placing of a plebiscite before the ratepayers at the next election for an expression of opinion as to whether the Memorial Park should be continued or not.

Had Opium on Person — Found guilty on two separate charges of being in possession of opium and of being found in an opium den, Lee, a Chinaman, was fined $200 and sentenced to six months' imprisonment on the first count and fined $15 on the second count by Magistrate Jay in the city police court yesterday morning. He must also pay costs amounting to $14.

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Telephone Directory Closing

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City and District

Ward Three Conservatives—A meeting of Ward Three Conservative Association will be held in the Campbell Building tonight at eight o'clock.

Chimney Fire—A chimney fire at the Collegiate School gave the fire department a run at 9:30 o'clock on Sunday morning. It was quickly extinguished.

Pacific Great Eastern Railway—Mr. T. Kilpatrick, general manager of the P.G.E., will address an open meeting of the Engineering Institute of Canada on Wednesday evening, March 31, at 8:15 o'clock, in Room 203 Union Bank Building.

New Inn Planned—A proposal is in hand looking to the erection of a tourist hotel about five miles from the city near Palmer Station. This will be on the general plan of an Old English inn. The plans are being prepared by Mr. P. Leonard James, achitect.

Elected to Group—Owing to the fact that Mr. J. H. Beatty, who was one of the directors elected to the Tourist Trade Group at the annual meeting, asks to be excused from acting this year, Mr. W. A. Ellis has been elected to fill the vacancy.

Faces Bigamy Charge — Charged with having married Mae Allen on January 8 while his first wife was alive and undivorced, George A. Truesdell was arraigned before Magistrate Jay in the city police court yesterday morning. He was remanded at the request of counsel.

Ward Four Conservatives — The meeting of Ward Four executive of the Liberal-Conservative Association will be held in the Campbell Building tonight at 8 o'clock. Members are particularly asked to attend, as important business will come before the meeting.

To Fortify Liquor Store — Twice robbed by burglars who gained entry by cutting holes in the wooden floor of the building, the Esquimalt Liquor Store will now be fortified by a cement foundation, six inches in thickness, it was announced yesterday by Liquor Commissioner Hugh Davidson.

Travel Talk Tonight — A travel talk, describing a tour across Canada, will be given in the schoolroom of the Douglas Street Baptist Church (Cloverdale terminus No. 2 car line) by the Rev. W. H. Redman, this evening, at 7:30 p.m., illustrated by lantern slides by courtesy of the Canadian National Railways.

Christian Science Lecture—On Monday, April 5, a free lecture on Christian Science will be given at the Royal Victoria Theatre under the auspices of the Second Church of Christ, Scientist, Victoria, a branch of the Mother Church or First Church of Christ Scientist at Boston, Mass. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Makes Favorable Progress—Mr. George R. Bonnett, who was picked up on Sunday night by Constable Rankin of the Saanich Police, near Saanichton, where he apparently had met with an accident while riding a bicycle and had to be rushed to the Jubilee Hospital, was reported last night to be making favorable progress.

Gets Six Months in Jail—Yum, a Chinaman, was found guilty on a charge of being found in possession of opium and sentenced to six months' imprisonment with a fine of $200 by Magistrate Jay in the city police court yesterday morning. If Yum fails to pay the fine and $24 costs he must serve an additional three months in jail. Accused was defended by Mr. Thomas Miller.

Lake Hill Community Centre—The monthly meeting of the Lake Hill Community Centre will be held on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, instead of on Friday evening. This is a special meeting to endeavor to form an athletic club, and all those interested in tennis, baseball, etc., are asked to attend, whether members of the centre or not. The meeting will be followed by a social.

Composer Visits Here—Miss Alene Jackson, of Dauphin, Man., who is visiting her uncle, Mr. J. C. Finch, Victoria, has recently composed a Prelude in C Minor, which is to be played by Mr. Hanley Wells each evening during this week at the Dominion Theatre. The composition has pleasing form and harmonies, and its comparative simplicity should give it an especial appeal to students.

Mission of Service—This week at St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, the Ven. Archdeacon Heathcote is conducting a Mission of Service. The Archdeacon preached at both services on Sunday and will continue the mission this evening and tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. On Thursday the service will commence at 8:15 p.m. The mission will be brought to a close with the Good Friday morning's service at 11 o'clock. On Friday evening, commencing at 7:30 o'clock, the choir of St. Mary's will render Stainer's "Crucifixion."

Easter Cheer for Poor—An appeal is being made by the Friendly Help Association for eggs, hot-cross buns, jam, fruit, vegetables, or other provisions of any kind which might help to make Easter brighter in the homes of those whose breadwinners have been out of work for some time or only just back in wage-earning positions after months of enforced idleness. Some of the homes which the Friendly Help visits are so utterly cheerless and bare of comforts that the visitors have been impelled to make this appeal for something in the way of little extras to add to the Easter fare and make it a time of some little happy memory to the children particularly.

Stock Disposed of To Victoria Firm

After eighteen years in business the well known Ladysmith merchants, Messrs. Walters & Akenhead, have sold out their entire stock, amounting to about $25,000, to the General Warehouse of Victoria. The stock embraces a general line of merchandise of a high-grade quality. The General Warehouse is not continuing the business but is moving the stock to the Yates Street warehouse, where it will be offered for sale in the near future. (Advt.)

L'Alliance Francaise—It was decided at the last meeting of l'Alliance Francaise that the last lecture of the very successful series of the season will be given on Saturday, April 10, at Victoria College, by Madame Sanderson-Monkin, whose subject is "La Sorbonne et le Quartier Latin." The lecture will be beautifully illustrated by special slides made by Mr. A. Huxtable. Further information regarding this lecture may be had by telephoning 3738R.

No Money for New Road—British Columbia has no money available for the construction of a second trans-Rocky Mountain road through the Yellowhead Pass and along the North Thompson River to connect with an Albertan road to Edmonton, the Minister of Public Works declared yesterday. Even if it had the money for such a scheme, British Columbia is not satisfied yet which route should be followed by the proposed highway, Dr. Sutherland intimated.

Speaks on Care of the Eyes—Tomorrow evening Mr. Joseph Rose will deliver the second of a series of talks on optical matters over Radio CFCT. Mr. Rose's last address was keenly appreciated by a wide audience of radio listeners, and as Mr. Rose will again cover his subject in simple, non-technical terms, there are many who will welcome the opportunity to listen-in again. "Care of the Eyes" will be the subject of Mr. Rose's second talk and he is timed to begin at 8:20 o'clock.

Court Dismisses Claims—In a judgment handed down yesterday in the County Court, Judge Lampman dismisses both the claim and counter claim in the action of T. W. Mansfield vs. the Empress Taxi and Sightseeing Company arising out of a collision between automobiles belonging to the respective parties at the corner of Foul Bay and Fairfield Roads on January 1. Plaintiff claimed $74 damages and defendant counter claimed for $69.01. Each party will bear its own costs.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

A "Swiss Supplement" will be issued by The Christian Science Monitor on April 2. Those wishing a free copy should send in their name to the Literature Distribution Committee, First Church of Christ, Scientist, Victoria, B.C.

Radio Dance — Under the distinguished patronage of His Worship Mayor and Mrs. Pendray, a dance is being given by the Victoria Radio Club, Friday, April 9 at the Alexandra Ballroom. Hunt's five-piece orchestra. Dancing 9 to 1 o'clock. Supper novelties. Dress informal.

Annual Dance, Colonist Ice Hockey Club, Alexandra Club, Wednesday, March 31, 1926. Findler's five-piece orchestra. Dancing 9 to 1. Admission $1.00, including supper. Tickets may be obtained at Colonist Office and all members.

Robert McKnight, Divine Healer, will speak at Orange Hall, Courtney Street, on Tuesday, March 30, at 8 p.m. Subject: "Living the Life." Private consultation, 223 Pemberton Building. Phone 1182. Evenings, 4199L. Freewill offering.

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UNDER THE CLOCK

City Hall Activities in Brief

The City Council last night set aside the sum of $250 for the purpose of constructing a float which can be entered by the city in the May 24 parade here, and which can also be sent to parades in other Coast cities if desired. Construction of the float was left in the hands of the City Engineer.

The following recommendation of the finance committee was adopted:

That purchase be made from Gillespie, Hart & Todd for sinking fund investment:

£600 City of Victoria 4 per cent stock, due January 21, 1937, By-Law No. 1361, at $0.04. Yield $5.20 per cent.

That purchase be made from R. P. Clark & Company for same purpose:

$1,000 City of Victoria 4 per cent bonds, due 1955, issued under By-Law No. 447, price, $2.13. Yield 5.20 per cent.

£600 City of Victoria 4 per cent bonds, due September 4, 1960, By-Law No. 731, at $0.85 and accrued interest. Yield 5.20 per cent.

The finance committee advised the City Council last night that Dr. A. G. Price, City Medical Health Officer, had fully investigated all claims submitted by St. Joseph's Hospital for moneys alleged to be owing for treatment of indigent patients in 1925, and found that the balance admitted to be due to that institution amounts to $93.50. The Council decided that the city was prepared to pay the amount, immediately, provided that St. Joseph's Hospital accepts the same in full settlement of all claims for treatment of indigent patients in 1925.

The Victoria Kiwanis Club will be informed that the City Council does not object to the erection of a suitable fence near the newly constructed children's wading pool in Beacon Hill Park.

A recommendation from the parks committee that the sum of $500 be expended for the purpose of preparing a cinder track at the Royal Athletic Park, was adopted by the Council. The work will be carried out under the City Engineer's direction.

It was decided to place a new fire hydrant on the roadway west of the Sidney Roofing & Paper Company's factory, and in the vicinity of the Shell Oil Company's warehouse on the Indian Reserve, at such a point as the Water Commissioner may select.

Mr. M. Nichols was granted permission to place ornamental bins at various points for collection of waste and rubbish. These bins will be furnished free of expense to the city. Any advertising matter to be placed on these bins must have the approval of the health and morals committee and the City Engineer.

In his report for the month of February Dr. A. G. Price, city Medical Health Officer, indicated that the vital statistics revealed there were forty-one births, thirty-five deaths and thirty marriages during that period.

A building permit was issued yesterday at the City Hall to Mr. George Anstey, 1844 Gonzales Avenue, for construction of a frame stucco dwelling, containing seven rooms, at an estimated cost of $4,000.

Approval was given by the City Council last night to a plan of a new subdivision on St. Charles Street, south of Despard Avenue. All the lots have a depth of 135 feet, 61.5 frontage. They face on a paved street and the corners of the streets are properly rounded.

Victoria has been asked to be represented at the 1926 convention of the International Association of Park Commissioners of the Pacific Coast, which will be held on August 16 and 17 at Spokane. Alderman Eugene S. Woodward is past president of the group and Mr. John Baxter, secretary to the Mayor of Victoria, is the secretary. The convention was held here last year and was a great success in every way.

Mr. V. L. Turner took out a building permit yesterday at the City Hall for the erection of a frame stucco dwelling at 1248 Dallas Road, corner of Howe Street, containing six rooms, at an estimated cost of $4,500. The house will be constructed by the Victoria Building Company.

Tenders for fire hose and firemen's uniforms were opened by the Council last night and referred to the Fire Wardens, Purchasing Agent and Fire Chief for report.

The Tourist Trade Group of the Chamber of Commerce recommended the transferrence of one pair of swans from Beacon Hill Park to Elk Lake where, it is stated, they would receive an excellent opportunity to breed. The letter also stated that it was thought that Mr. A. H. Pease, of Hamsterley Lakeside, would gladly attend to the feeding. The matter was referred to the parks committee for report.

A recommendation from the works committee, that one tree on Chambers Street opposite house No. 2205, and also one tree at the corner of Begbie and Fern Streets, be cut down, was received by the Council. The letter was laid on the table for a week to permit aldermen to see the trees in question.

The public works committee recommended that Kimta and Tyee Roads, on the Indian Reserve, be macadamized at an estimated cost of $6,500, and that the City Engineer proceed with the work at once. The Mayor inquired whether it was necessary to have this work done right away or if it could be left over until the Fall. The matter was referred back to the works committee.

City Engineer Preston informed the Council that when the C. N. Railway ran across Alpha Street its outlet on the Burnside Road was intersected and a new outlet was made towards the southeast, and no name was given to the new outlet. The Council decided that the old portion of Alpha Street, which is now a dead end, will be called Alpha Terrace and the new portion Alpha Street.

The legislative committee advised the Council that it had considered the complaint of a number of taxpayers with reference to the straying of cattle upon private property, and found that under the present Municipal Act it is impossible properly to amend the city pound by-law to fully cover this question. The Council will apply to the municipal committee of the Legislature for amendment of the Municipal Act to permit municipalities to require the tethering of cattle upon unfenced private land.

The City Council decided to inform the Canadian National Railways that the city is prepared to pass the necessary by-law authorizing the conveyance of land at Ogden Point, provided the said company will give a written assurance that it will immediately apply, on behalf of the city, to the Federal Public Works Department and to the Railway Board for a public right-of-way to the beach and breakwater and the construction of a suitable approach to facilitate access thereto

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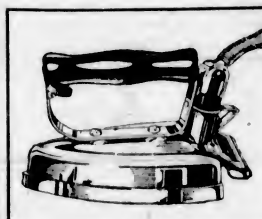

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PROVINCE'S PAYROLL SHOWS BIG INCREASE

Workmen's Compensation Board Report Reveals Growth of Industries of British Columbia

Industrial pursuits in British Columbia engaged 859 more employees in 1925 than in 1924, and the Province's payroll has increased in the last three years from $130,000,000 in 1922 to $160,000,000 in 1925, according to the annual report of the Workmen's Compensation Board, issued at the Attorney-General's Department yesterday.

The report says in part:

"One hundred and sixty thousand employees and their families are now protected under the Workmen's Compensation Act. Of the 27,563 accidents reported in 1925, 213 proved fatal. The fatal accidents in 1924 totalled 236, and 268 in 1923. The number of fatal accidents in industry in the past nine years was 2,008, an average of 223 for each year. Of the 187,297 non-fatal accidents in the same period, 4,180 left the workmen permanently incapacitated either totally or partially.

More Than 700 Dependents

"At the end of 1925 there were on the pension list: Widows, 567; children, under sixteen, 1,003; dependent mothers, 92; dependent fathers, 36; other dependents, 28; and permanently disabled workmen, 832, making a total of 2,558 receiving regular allowances. By adding to this figure the number of women and children dependent on the allowances made in the permanent and temporary disability cases it will be seen that at any given time more than 7,000 people are relying in the whole or in part for their sustenance on the compensation furnished.

"The lumber industry by reason of its nature and magnitude was responsible for 44 per cent of all accidents, construction 10 per cent, coal mining 8 per cent, railroading 5 per cent, navigation 5 per cent, metal mining 5 per cent, and all other industries 23 per cent.

Compensation Paid

"Time loss compensation to workmen last year amounted to $1,277,473.70, and medical and hospital care to $618,941.91. In addition, the permanent, total or partial impairment suffered by 671 workmen whose claims were disposed of in 1925 cost the accident fund $811,043.76. Dependents of workmen killed during the year were awarded pensions totalling $568,929.02, while burial benefits took a further $16,088.70."

"BIG TIM" RECEIVES CHILL WELCOME HOME

Only Reporters at Station to Meet Liberated Mail Robber—Not Even Police There

CHICAGO, March 29.—Shorn of the glamor that attended his moves before he went to prison, Timothy (Big Tim) Murphy came back to Chicago today after serving a sentence in Leavenworth penitentiary for participation in the $385,000 Dearborn Street mail robbery.

Whereas it had been heralded the former Labor boss would be met by a welcoming throng of "gas house workers," including the union members over whom he once ruled, the "crowd" consisted of a handful of reporters, Murphy's wife and two or three friends.

"Big Tim," considerably chastened in manner, clambered from the train expecting to meet Federal officers. The deputy marshals, like the band and the crowds, were not present, however.

Sidney Personals

SIDNEY, March 28.—The Indian silver tea, held in Wesley Hall on Friday, March 26, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the United Church, proved a most successful and enjoyable event. At the commencement of the programme Mrs. Ellis read an announcement, explaining that the Indian sketch was based on the legend relating to the naming of the Province of Manitoba, while the recitations were taken from poems by Pauline Johnson. The play was extremely well acted by Mesdames Hollands, Cliff, J. T. Taylor, J. Wilkinson, F. J. Sinister, J. Jackson, G. Hill, Ormond, M. W. Lees, Homewood and Douglas, who all carried out their parts very successfully. A pleasing feature of the programme was an Indian war dance by Miss Mary Thornley, which was very well executed. At the conclusion of the sketch a dainty tea was served by the members of the cast, with the addition of Mrs. E. Blackburn. The ice cream stall, in charge of Mrs. J. C. Crichton, and the candy and home cooking department, which was conducted by Mrs. S. Taylor and Mrs. Ingamells, were very well patronized.

Mrs. Lane, Third Street, is visiting in the vicinity of Calgary.

Miss F. Hamley, of Victoria, is spending the week-end at the home her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hamley, Fourth Street.

Mr. Barry Higgs, of Galiano Island, is visiting friends in Sidney.

Mr. J. E St. Louis, Third Street, has left for Cucheon Cove, where he will in future reside.

Miss Annie Lorenzen, of Victoria, is spending a few days at the home of her mother, Mrs. Lorenzen, Deep Cove.

Cowichan Station Notes

COWICHAN STATION, March 29.—Mrs. M. Reid has returned to her home on Riverside Road, having been absent for several months in Vancouver.

Mrs. W. McConnell, after visiting relatives in Victoria, has returned home.

Luxton Personals

LUXTON, March 29.—A whist drive under auspices of Luxton and Happy Valley W.I. will be held at Mrs. Higham's on Saturday, April 3.

Mrs. R. D. Richards, of Jordan River, is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. E. Richards, of Happy Valley.

Mr. John Fremlin, of Cupar, Sask., is visiting Mr. Brice, of Happy Valley.

They met under the mistletoe on Christmas Eve.

"Do you know," she said, "you are the very first man to kiss me?"

"Then you must have taken a correspondence course," he answered. "You certainly don't act like a beginner."

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Send Easter Greetings to Your Friends

Easter is a time for general rejoicing and an opportune time to remember your friends who live in other parts. Send each of them an Easter greeting card and choose from our showing, with envelopes to match. Prices **10¢, 15¢, 20¢** and ..... **25¢**

For Your Easter Dinner Table

Dennison's Crepe Paper Table Covers
With dainty Easter designs. Size 61 by 84 inches. Price, **35¢**

Decorated Crepe Paper
In a variety of designs. Ideal for Easter decorations; in 10-ft. folds. Price ..... **30¢**

Easter Decorated Serviettes
Per dozen ..... **10¢**

Crepe Paper Streamers and Festoons
In mauve, purple and white. Per roll ..... **15¢**

Easter Place Cards
Each ..... **5¢**
6 for ..... **25¢**
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Easter Eggs and Novelties for the Children

Ganong's Large Chocolate Roosters, each **$1.25**
Ganong's Large Chocolate Rabbits, each **$1.00**
Chocolate Rabbits and Roosters, at, each ..... **10¢** and **25¢**
Pascall's Hollow Eggs wrapped in colored foil paper, each... **5¢, 10¢, 15¢, 20¢** and ..... **40¢**
Pascall's Fancy Novelties, containing eggs, rabbits and chicks, each, **45¢, 50¢** and ..... **65¢**
China Egg Cups, containing chocolate egg, each... **10¢, 15¢, 20¢**
Dainty Fancy Baskets, each ..... **5¢, 10¢, 15¢, 20¢, 30¢, 40¢, 50¢**
Large Candy Marshmallow Eggs, 5 for ..... **5¢**
And, each ..... **5¢**
Large and Small Candy Eggs, per lb. ..... **40¢**
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Easter Groceries

Goods Ordered Today Charged on Next Month's Account

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Made from the best ingredients and delivered fresh from the oven to your home on Thursday. Leave your order now. At, per dozen ..... **25¢**

Hudson's Bay Company "Seal of Quality" Creamery Butter, lb. **52¢**
3 lbs. for **$1.53**
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3 Tins Canned Sweet Corn, 2 tins Quaker Tomatoes and 2 tins Quaker Peas, No. 2 tins, all for ..... **98¢**

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Extra Fancy Yellow Newton Apples, per box **$3.50**
Fancy Spitzenburg Apples, per box **$3.25**
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The styles are fascinating in their newness; the shades depict a season of brightness, and best of all they are popular priced, enabling the woman with the most limited purse to wear the new while it is new, with high cost eliminated.

At $12.95

New frocks of smart design in sizes and styles for women and misses, mostly featuring the long bodice and circular skirt. They have long sleeves gathered at the wrist in accordance with the mode, and present newest details of adornment. Fashioned in lustrous flat and Canton crepes in a host of new shades, some with inset bands in contrasting color; sizes 16 to 40.

At $19.95

These new models show many smart styles. They include the flare, the bib front, the bouffant skirt, the two-piece effect and many other important fashion notes. Flat crepe and knitted jersey silk are the popular materials from which they are made, enlivened with many gay forms of trimmings. Sizes 16 to 42.

At $25.00

Flat crepes, satin and Canton crepes revelling in the graceful fullness of circular skirts, flying panels and other new versions of the vogue. They have new necks, some with vestee effect or turn-over collars. Sleeves are long and close fitting, or with a wide puff at the wrist. Colors include thistle bloom, grey, tarragon, fallow, Brittany blue and bois de rose; sizes 16 to 40.
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Heavier Quality Rayon Silk Vests, opera top; in shades of peach, orchid and pink, also white and black. Price **$1.50**

Rayon Silk Bloomers
Medium Weight Rayon Silk Bloomers, full cut garments with gusset; in shades of peach, orchid, sunset and Nile; also white. Price **$1.95**
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In fine knit cotton, plain or ribbed, built-up shoulders or short sleeves. Sizes 36 to 46. Price ..... **35¢**

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Better quality knit vests in opera top, built-up shoulders or short sleeves; tubular finish or with neat beading. Sizes 36 to 46. Price ..... **50¢**

Vests
In finest quality mercerized lisle, built-up shoulders reinforced under arm. Sizes 36 to 42. Priced at **$1.75**

Vests
In fine quality lisle, built-up shoulders; tubular finish. Sizes 36 to 40. Price ..... **75¢**

Vests
In fine cotton lisle, opera top, built-up shoulders or short sleeves; also in mercerized lisle, plain or rib. Sizes 36 to 42. Price ..... **89¢**
Size 44. Price **$1.00**

Vests
Fine Quality Knit Cotton Vests, opera top or built-up shoulders, reinforced under arm. Sizes 36 to 42. Price **$1.25**
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Extra Bedding to Prepare For Easter Events

Make sure you are well provided with sufficient bedding for the requirements of your Easter guests. Perhaps you need an extra pair of blankets or sheets, or another comforter. Whatever your requirements you'll find them here in qualities you can depend on and at prices you'll agree are most reasonable.

Pure Wool Scotch Blankets
Woven from thoroughly scouged yarns with that soft, fluffy finish so much desired.
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Covered with good quality cambric with sateen panels in contrasting color. Size 66 by 72. Price **$13.50**

Bleached Cotton Sheets
Made from round thread yarns insuring good wear and excellent laundering quality.
Single bed size, pair **$2.95**
Three-quarter bed size at, per pair **$3.25**
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White Grecian Bedspreads
Made for hard wear and finished soft. Three-quarter bed size. Price **$3.50**
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Easter Is New Hat Time for the Girls

Every little girl associates Eastertime with a new hat. Don't disappoint her. Bring her along and let her try on some of the lovely new hats just received in time for Easter. There's a very wide selection to choose from, including tailored straws, trimmed fabrics and dressy combinations. There are smart little hats of excellent quality milan and leghorn in natural shades, colors and black; also charming little bonnet styles in shirred muslin and silk and leghorn combinations. All sizes and styles for girls from four years of age and up. Priced from **$1.95** to **$6.95**
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Crepe de Chine Handkerchiefs
With hand-rolled edges; shown in fancy block and all-over designs, in Oriental colorings. Price ..... **50¢**

Fine Quality White Linen Handkerchiefs
With dainty guipure and filet lace edges and corners. Prices, **75¢** and **$1.00**

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In white, with attractive black and white borders; many dainty designs to choose from. Price ..... **85¢**

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In white and all the new Spring colors; these have scalloped edges, embroidered in black in novelty bird, butterfly, basket and rose designs. Price ..... **35¢**
3 for **$1.00**
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

French Kid Gloves

French Kid Novelty Gloves
With over-sewn seams and turn-back cuffs in two-tone colorings; perforated style, finished with one dome fastener; choice of mode and pastel, mode and beaver, black and red, also black and white. Sizes 6¼ to 7. Per pair **$2.25**

French Kid Gloves
With piqne sewn seams, contrasting points and fancy turn-back perforated cuffs, faced with contrasting colored velvet. Shown in combination colors of mode and coral, mode and brown, beaver and blue, pastel and coral, black and red, pastel and brown, also black and white. Sizes 5¾ to 7. Per pair **$2.25**

French Kid Gloves
With one dome fastener, over-sewn seams and contrasting colored points, novelty cuffs with contrasting velvet ribbon. Choose from mode and coral, beaver and green, white and coral, also black and white. Sizes 5¾ to 7. Per pair **$2.50**

French Kid Gloves
With one dome fastener, embroidered points, over-sewn seams and novelty turn-back cuffs in petal style, in contrasting color. New shades include pastel and brown, mode and blue, mode and coral, mode and pastel, tan and mode, black and red, black and white. Sizes 6 to 7. Per pair **$2.95**

French Kid Gloves
Shown in novelty style, with fancy turn-back cuffs, in contrasting colors; embroidered silk points and over-sewn seams; choice of all the new Spring colors. Sizes 6¼ to 7. Per pair **$3.50**

French Kid Gloves
With turn-back cuffs of hand-painted French suede, fancy assorted points and piqne sewn seams; finished with one dome fastener. Colors include mocha and buff, navy and grey, also two-tone grey. Sizes 5¾ to 7. Per pair **$4.50**
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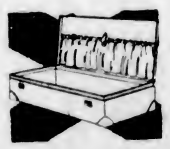

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Fibre Suitcase Special
Strongly made cases with two outside straps, all metal corners, fitted with inside straps. In brown and black. 24 and 26-inch sizes. Special at **$2.49**
Same as above but without outside straps, 24 and 26-inch sizes. Special at **$1.79**
—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Fur Chokers

To Wear With Your Easter Suit

Attractive little neckpieces in fashionable furs. All moderately priced.

Fine Dark Natural Fitch Chokers
One-skin style. Prices, **$13.50** to **$18.50**
Two-skin style. Price, **$32.50**
Three-skin style. Price, **$35.00**
Four-skin style. Price, **$52.00**

Selected Canadian Mink Chokers
One-skin style. Prices, **$18.50** to **$35.00**
Two-skin style. Prices, **$27.50** to **$70.00**
Three skin style. Price, **$75.00**
Four-skin style. Price, **$85.00**

Russian Ermine Ties
Extremely smart. Prices, **$22.50** to **$60.00**

Grey Siberian Squirrel Chokers
Prices ..... **$13.50** to **$18.00**
—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

Boys' English Rugby Suits With Extra Pair of Knickers

Smart and serviceable suits in wool, Donegal and smooth tweeds in narrow stripe effect. Two-button models with plain back and three pockets; vest just like dad's with five buttons and four pockets. Full cut knickers with belt loops and four pockets. Two pairs of knickers with each suit.
Sizes 8 to 12 years. Price, **$13.50**
Sizes 13 to 14 years. Price, **$15.00**
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Men's Easter Hosiery

Men's English Cashmere Hose
"Beaver Brand," made from fine cashmere wool, flat knit and seamless; ribbed tops. Shown in black, brown, grey and sand. Sizes 9½ to 11½. Per pair ..... **50¢**

Men's English Cashmere Hose
"Otter Brand," made from heavier weight Botany yarns with fairly long legs and closely knitted tops. Choice of black, brown, grey, sand and white. Sizes 9½ to 11½. Pair ..... **75¢**

Men's Silk and Wool Hose
Smart but serviceable hose in good quality Rayon silk and wool yarns. Ideal for men who cannot wear all wool. All colors. Per pair ..... **59¢**

Men's English Silk and Cashmere Hose
Made by England's leading hosiery manufacturer from silk and cashmere yarns in the new 9-2 elastic rib. Shown in heather mixtures of blue and fawn. All sizes. Pair, **$1.00**
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Fishing Tackle for the Easter Holiday

Three-Piece Steel Trout Rods
Complete in case. Price, **$1.29**

Greenheart and Cane Fly Rods
Price **$3.00**

Single and Double Multiplying Reels
Prices **$1.35, $1.95, $2.35**

Strong Cuttyhunk Trout Lines
Price ..... **15¢**

Silk Fly Lines
25-Yard lengths. Prices **75¢** to **$2.00**

One-Yard Gut Leads
Price ..... **10¢**

Bait Hooks to Gut
Price, per card ..... **20¢**

Salmon Eggs
Per tin ..... **45¢**

Fly Spinners
Prices ..... **20¢** and **30¢**

Trout Flies
Price ..... **7¢**
—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Easter Specials in the China Dept.

42-Piece Dinner Sets
In English semi-porcelain in Persian designs. Set consists of six dinner plates, six bread and butter plates, six soups, six fruits, six cups and saucers, one 10-inch platter, one covered dish, one covered sugar and one cream. Special, **$8.95**

Fancy Cups and Saucers
In English china, hand and floral decorations. Special at **45¢** and ..... **50¢**

Medium Weight Water Tumblers
Ideal for kitchen use. Special at **6** for ..... **48¢**

Etched Glass Water Sets
In the popular grape design. Six tumblers and one jug. Special at, per set **$1.69**
—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Society and Women's Affairs

Christening Ceremony

On Sunday afternoon at St. John's Church, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Willie, was christened by the Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick, and received the name of Velda Doreen. Mrs. Clarence Bishop acted as sponsor. Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Willie entertained at their home on Quadra Street. The rooms were prettily decorated with plum blossoms, daffodils and narcissi. Mrs. Sidney Rogers and Mrs. Hugo Willie presided at the tea table, which was decorated with pink and white and centred with a christening cake. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. L. Willie, Mr. and Mrs. M. Sands, Miss Viola Sands, Mr. and Mrs. E. Clarke, Miss Mickey Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. C. Bishop, Masters Clyde and Gerald Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Jones, Miss Dorothy Jones, Master Allan Jones, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hartley, Mr. and Mrs. T. Allan, Miss D. Allen, Miss C. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. F. Webster, Mrs. F. Clyde, Miss H. Clyde, Mrs. W. B. Hall, Miss I. Hall, Miss E. Allan, Miss K. Johnson, Mrs. H. Willie, Miss T. Willie, Mrs. A. Burns, Mrs. W. Kelly, Master Wallace Kelly, Mrs. Clarke and Mrs. J. Yates.

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Christening Party

The infant son of Major and Mrs. Laughlin Hughes was christened on Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Hughes' mother, Mrs. Andrew Gray, Catherine Street, receiving the names Robin Gray Laughlin, the Rev. W. L. Clay, D.D., performing the ceremony. The guests were afterwards entertained at tea, the iced christening cake being set on a table arranged with pale pink sweet peas and greenery. Among those present were Lady McBride and the Misses Peggy and Ruth McBride, Mr. and Mrs. Angus Campbell, Major and Mrs. Cobbett, and the Misses Elsie and Diana Cobbett, Mr. and Mrs. Torquil Burns and Miss Betty Burns, Major and Mrs. Edwards, Major Craig, Mrs. Robert Scott, Miss Margaret Scott, Sister Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gray, Mr. and Mrs. James Gray and Captain Stone.

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"The Vortex" Read

Noel Coward's "The Vortex" was read yesterday afternoon at the dramalogue at the Empress Hotel, before an interested audience. The play is an unusually stirring modern drama from the pen of one of the youngest and most brilliant play writers of the day. The part of the mother was read by Mrs. E. C. Hayward and Capt. Aldhem White took the part of the son. Those assisting were Mrs. Guy Goddard, Mrs. Ellis, Miss Lorna Lewin, Capt. Thorpe-Double, Mr. L. L. Phillips and Major Bullock-Webster, each of whom read their parts most convincingly.

Bridge and Mah Jong Party

Mrs. Charles E. Brown, "Upton Grey," Uplands, entertained yesterday afternoon with two tables of mah jong and one of bridge. Mrs. Harry Eakins and Mrs. Russell Henshall presided at the tea table, which was decorated with a beautiful Venetian glass centrepiece. The guests were Mrs. Barr, Mrs. Guy Peele, Mrs. Jack Gray, Mrs. F. Wilding, Mrs. Campbell Brown, Mrs. Brooke Stephenson, Mrs. Russell Henshall, Mrs. P. R. M. Wallis, Mrs. C. L. H. Branson and Mrs. Harry Eakins.

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Enjoyable Evening

Mr. and Mrs. Joyce, 1036 Caledonia Avenue, entertained on Saturday evening. The evening was spent in cards and dancing, and the guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Bissenden, Mr. and Mrs. Maysmith, Mr. and Mrs. Tibet, Mr. and Mrs. Garnett, Mr. and Mrs. Grieve, Mr. and Mrs. Roy, Mr. and Mrs. Savenden, Mrs. Parke, Mrs. Walsh, Mr. and Mrs. Barron, Mr. and Mrs. Hilton, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Ross and Miss E. Grieve.

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Return to College

Miss Beryl Hyndman, who has been spending her Spring vacation with her parents, Major and Mrs. J. C. F. Hyndman, Granite Street, returned to the University of Washington, Seattle, yesterday. Miss Hyndman had as her guests two fellow students, the Misses Florence and Ellen Miller, of Omak, Wash.

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Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Sylvester, 1438 Fort Street, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Cecelia Burdette, to Mr. Thomas Llewellyn Light, third son of the late Mr. Richard Owen Light, Adjutant-General, Sandhurst, and of the late Mrs. Light, of Camberley, Surrey, England.

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Dinner Hostess

Mrs. C. F. Armstrong, York Place, gave a small dinner party last evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Gooderham and Mr. and Mrs. McLean, of Winnipeg. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. George Galt, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Goward and Miss Innes Bodwell.

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In Seattle

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Goodrich, Clive Drive, Oak Bay, and Mr. Henry Goodrich, left on Saturday for Port Angeles, from whence they motored to Seattle to attend the wedding of their son, Mr. Herbert Goodrich, to Miss Catherine Ashe, which took place on Saturday evening.

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Returned to Mainland

Mr. and Mrs. William Flavelle and son, Guy, of Lindsay, Ontario, have been enjoying a motor trip up the Island, and were the guests of Mrs. R. B. Keyl during their short stay in Victoria. They left on Saturday for Vancouver.

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Visits Parents

Mrs. J. Wesley Millar, of Marpole, Vancouver, accompanied by her son, Frank, is visiting in the city and is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Patrick, 425 Michigan Street.

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Ill in Hospital

His many friends in Victoria will be sorry to learn that Mr. Ted Proctor, of the Bank of Montreal, Duncan, has been taken to the King's Daughters' Hospital, Duncan, suffering with an acute attack of rheumatism.

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Return to College

After spending a few days with his father, Mr. C. J. Cubhage, 1043 St. Patrick Street, Mr. Ted Cubhage left on Sunday afternoon for Seattle, en route for Portland, where he attends Oregon Agricultural College.

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Leaves For Alabama

After visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. A. E. McMickinz, Linden Avenue, Mrs. I. R. Gard, of Seattle, left yesterday for Birmingham, Ala., where she will visit her brother-in-law, Mr. Gard.

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Harvey-Boggs Chapter Dance

The Valentine Harvey-Beaumont Boggs Chapter, I.O.D.E., will hold a dance at the Connaught Seamen's Institute, Superior Street, on Friday, April 16, from 9 till 1 o'clock.

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From Seattle

Mr. Cedric Walker, of the University of Washington, is spending the Spring vacation with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Walker, St. Patrick Street, Oak Bay.

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Leaving For Trail

Mrs. McCallum, Miss Marjorie McCallum and Miss Vivian Denham are leaving tomorrow afternoon for Vancouver, en route for a two weeks' visit in Trail, B.C.

How to Dissolve Out Corns and Soften Callouses

The thick, hardened skin of which corns and callouses are composed, of course, contains no nerves or blood vessels. In fact, the upper layers are practically dead. In the case of a corn, it is not the top that causes such pain. It is the little pointed part which extends down into the toe and presses on sensitive nerves. Cutting the top off with a razor or burning it off with caustic liquids, pastes and plasters is wasting time. Also, it is dangerous and may cause blood-poisoning or even tetanus (lock jaw). Instead of such purely temporary expedients, try soaking your feet in the saltrates water, prepared by dissolving a handful of Reudel Bath Saltrates in a gallon of hot water. This will dissolve the oil and sebaceous matter from hardened, calloused, and "horny" skin, leaving it so soft that corns are easily picked out, root and all. As for callouses, they can be scraped right off with the dull edge of a knife. The medicated water can have no effect whatsoever on sound, healthy skin. Your nearest druggist can supply Reudel Bath Saltrates or get it for you at short notice if out of stock at any time. (Advt.)

London Shows New Hats

Beret Shape Leads in Military Styles—Neat Waistcoats Add Touch of Smartness and Chic to New Spring Suits

There are new high-crowned hats now to be seen, and some of them have a margin instead of a brim, while on others the brim is fairly definite. Indeed, brims may be expected to grow larger to balance the frills and flounces of Summer frocks. The beret shape, however, continues, for it is most becoming when carefully made.

Ribbon Hats Smart

Many of the new high-crowned hats, which have been accepted as a success, are made of grosgrain ribbon or a new shiny terry faille, which meets the demand for a ribbed look. A striking example resembles an opera hat with a manipulated crown and a bent and narrowed brim; the crown is of wide grosgrain or petersham, and at the side is a flat perpendicular decoration of narrow petersham in different colors. This hat is called "Youyou," and there are other strange names. A hat of black Manila straw and blue felt with a feather motif at the side is called "Valencia;" and a high-crowned hat with a round crown of navy picot and grosgrain with touches of royal blue is called "The Charleston."

Scarves in Vogue

Berets are made of colored grosgrain, an easy and pleasant material for the Spring, or of the new Summer felt in pastel colors with a stencilled scarf of chiffon to match. The new scarves are rather long with wide ends, and are tied at the side in a bow—a prim look which gives a good finish to Summer frocks of crepe de Chine. A new fine Manila straw is called Zebus. It is very light and is used for the first of the brimmed models, and is good in many colors, though "natural" or oatmeal with a colored ribbon trimming is a favorite. Bangkoks will be worn, but not as much as some of the newer straws, such as Bengal, Panama and Ballybuntal. Very little peval is to be seen. Trimming on hats is light, and is more a decoration than trimming. For instance, on a black hat, gold bees come out of a gold hive; a hat for dance-teas has a bead and paillette embroidery in bright colors, and brimmed hats for the later Spring have waxed flowers. Crystal pins are put into some of the severe grosgrain hats.

Among milliners' jewelry are sets of seed pearl necklets with colored stones and flat necklace bands of seed pearls with bracelets to match. They are to be worn with the lighter Summer frocks. Stumpy parasols with colored designs hand-painted on white silk and with a deep black border have already been made to go with hat and scarf sets. The hand-painting will not wash off in a shower.

Revival of Overblouses

There is a revival of over-blouses and shirt-blouses to go with neat short-coated tailor-mades. There is an attempt to bring back the old-fashioned blouse that tucks inside the skirt, and a curious half-waistcoat in pique is added to give it greater length; but it is always an ugly fashion. Waists have become so much wider owing to the use of elastic girdles or silk corsets, with very little support, that its ugliness would be more apparent than formerly. There are, however, some neat silk check waistcoats of bright colors with satin backs; they are cut with points like a man's dress waistcoat and look well with tailored suits.

Returned From California

Mr. J. A. Sayward and Miss Margaret Sayward returned to the city on Saturday after a motor tour of California.

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From Vancouver

Mr. F. J. Crossland and Mr. J. M. Rolston, of Vancouver, are among the out-of-town guests at the James Bay Hotel.

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Here From Vancouver

Mrs. Sidney Kelly, of Kerrisdale, is visiting her sister, Lady Lake, Newport Avenue, Oak Bay.

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Arriving Today

Mr. D. C. Coleman, of Winnipeg, is arriving in the city today and will be a guest at the Empress Hotel.

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To Vancouver

Mrs. F. Wilding, Uplands, left last evening for Vancouver, where she will spend a few days.

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Short Visit

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Roycroft, of Vancouver, are spending a short visit in the city.

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At Empress

Mr. W. A. Anstie and Mr. R. Bell-Irving, of Vancouver, are at the Empress Hotel for a short time.

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Visiting in Vancouver

Miss Joy Phillips is enjoying a few days' holidays visiting friends in Vancouver.

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Left for Vancouver

Mr. W. Newcombe returned to Vancouver on Sunday night.

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At James Bay Hotel

Mr. Lester Spier, of Seattle, is a guest at the James Bay Hotel.

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In Jubilee Hospital

Mrs. Eugenia Hillyer is a patient in the Sanitarium, Jubilee Hospital.

Women's Institutes

Victoria

The Victoria Women's Institute will hold a quilting bee on Thursday afternoon in the clubrooms, Surrey Block, Yates Street. Parcels for the rummage sale may be left that afternoon.

To Hold Concert

A concert will be held in St. Luke's Parish Hall, Cedar Hill, on Friday, April 16, at 8:15 p.m., in aid of the organ fund. An excellent programme has been arranged, the artists being: Miss Lilly Muir, soprano; Miss Mason, contralto; Mr. J. M. Robertson, tenor; Mr. O. R. Frith, bass; Messrs. Ernie Impett and George Menelaws, humorists; Messrs. Dumbleton and Adams, step-dancing; sketch artists, Misses K. and W. Knapton, Messrs. Impett and Menelaws; accompanist, Miss Ina Gordon.

Weddings

Marasch-Chapman

The marriage took place on Sunday, at the First Baptist Church, the Rev. C. Wellington Camp, D.D., officiating, of Miss Wrennie La Pearle Chapman, of Dallas, Oregon, and Mr. Henry Marasch, of Lynden, Washington. The bride and groom were supported by Miss Dena Verdium and Mr. Henry G. Royce, respectively.

Your Birthday

MARCH 30—You are too much inclined to search for motives underlying other people's acts, and there is danger of unhappiness coming into your life through it. You should excel in a professional career. Beware of jealousy, and cultivate contentment and hopefulness. You should be happy in your married life if you "give and take."

Your birthstone is a bloodstone, which means presence of mind.

Your flower is a violet.

Your lucky color is white.

Teacher: "Why is your brother not at school today, Tommy?"

Tommy: "He's ill in bed, miss."

Teacher: "What's the matter with him?"

Tommy: "We were trying to see who could lean out of the window furthest, and he won."

Women's Clubs And Societies

Kumtuks Club

The members of the Kumtuks Club held their supper meeting last evening at the Y.W.C.A., with Miss Wigley, president, in the chair, and about thirty-six members present. Mrs. Hebden Gillespie suggested the adoption of a troupe of Girl Guides by the club, which met with hearty approval, and the speaker briefly outlined in an interesting manner, the aims and objects of the Girl Guide Association. Miss Wigley, Hurdett Avenue, is lending her home on April 17 for a bridge and mah jong party, and reservations may be made by telephoning Miss Richardson, 3993L, or Miss Wigley, 3626L. Plans were advanced for the entertainment of the Business and Professional Women's Organization from Vancouver, Seattle, Tacoma and Bellingham, with a special banquet on May 22. At the conclusion of supper, the members of the club adjourned to the Parliament Buildings, where Miss Alma Russell gave a short talk on the exhibits in the Archives department.

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Happy Valley W.A.

The monthly meeting of the Luxton-Happy Valley Women's Auxiliary was held on Thursday at the home of the secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Ruddle. The members present all agreed to the plan of personal offering boxes for the Cathedral Fund. The monthly report of the board meeting was read. The home-cooking stall held at Happy Valley Store was a great success. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Goodsill on Thursday, April 22, at 2:30 p.m. Mrs. Parmiter was the hostess at the tea hour.

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Mooseheart Legion

A masquerade dance, given by the drill team of the Women of Mooseheart Legion, will be held in the K. of P. Hall on Wednesday, April 7. There is to be a balloon and a serpentine dance. Prizes will be given for best dressed, national, comic, two extras, and a special, also two for the balloon dance. Refreshments are to be served, and Pitt's orchestra will supply the music from 9 to 1. Fancy dress is optional.

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Jubilee Hospital W.A.

The monthly business meeting of the Women's Auxiliary, Jubilee Hospital, will be held at the Nurses' Home tomorrow at 2:30.

Council Extends Water Agreement For Ten Years More

Owing to the change in ownership of the Esquimalt Waterworks Company last year, the Sidney Roofing and Paper Company applied to the City Council to settle its water understanding.

The water committee and advisory board reported to the City Council last evening that it had had several conferences with Mr. R. W. Hayhew, manager, and as a result recommended:

"That in connection with the existing water agreement, dated June 29, 1920, between the Esquimalt Waterworks Company and the Sidney Roofing and Paper Company that the last option of extension in clause eight of the agreement be amended by striking out the words 'five years' and inserting 'fifteen years.'

"The foregoing will have the effect of terminating the agreement in the year 1950 instead of the year 1940.

"This recommendation is made subject to the city solicitor drawing up whatever document of agreement he may consider necessary to cover the intention expressed hereinbefore."

These recommendations were adopted.

Bobbie was reading history, and looking up suddenly he asked: "What is beheaded, mother?"

"Having his head cut off, darling."

After a thoughtful moment Bobbie remarked:

"I suppose defeated is having his feet cut off?"

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B.C. Granulated Sugar, 20 lbs. for	$1.27	Malkin's Jelly Powder, 4 pkts. for	25c
Nice Orange Pekoe Tea, per lb. Or 3 lbs. for	53c $1.55	Pure Orange Marmalade, 4-lb. tin	49c
Fresh Roasted Coffee, per lb.	45c	Hot X Buns, to be delivered Thursday, doz.	25c

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GOSPEL OF JESUS IS NEEDED TODAY

Christian Church Offers World What It Requires, the Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick Tells Gyro Club

The Christian church today offers to the world what it requires more than anything else, the Rev. (Padre) Chadwick, rector of St. John's Anglican Church, told members of the Victoria Gyro Club at their weekly luncheon session in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium, yesterday. Gyro Roy Manzer presided.

"The gospel of Jesus Christ is needed to help the weary and broken-hearted, and those who are in distress and trouble. Also those who are more successful, in order that they may attain greater happiness and joy," the speaker said.

Mr. Chadwick observed that he greatly enjoyed service in the ministry, and stated that if he were starting his life over again, he would enter the same profession. The speaker discussed various aspects of a clergyman's life and activity, and touched on the asset of a sense of humor, illustrating his remarks with a number of clever humorous stories.

Mr. Walter McGuire, general secretary of the Victoria Y.M.C.A., appealed to the Gyro Club for volunteers to aid the Y.M.C.A. in its drive for funds early next month. He pointed out that there was a deficit against the organization at the present time and efforts will be made to eliminate this indebtedness entirely.

Three new members, Messrs. Goldie MacKenzie, Cyril Elkington and Matthew McConnell were installed by President Archie Muir.

The attendance prize, donated by Gyro Jack L. Clay, was won by Mr. Goldie MacKenzie.

Uncompleted Tragedy

SAN JOSE, Cal., March 29.—Two men and a girl were wounded early yesterday when the proprietor and patrons of a roadhouse on Berry Essa Road near here opened fire on two unmasked bandits, who entered the place and menacing the group with revolvers, ordered "Hands up."

The Red Lacquer Case

By PATRICIA WENTWORTH

CHAPTER XXVI

When Sally turned and ran from Bill's advancing footsteps, panic came on her. She no longer groped her way or tried to run warily; she no longer thought or planned. With a wildly beating heart she fled blindly into the darkness and saw it full of floating sparks of fire. She did did not know that the box hedges on either side had ceased, or feel that her feet were now upon rough grass. She went faster and faster, her pace increased by the downward slope of the ground, until suddenly, with a splash, she was ankle deep in ice-cold water, and the shock of it brought her to a standstill, trembling and panting.

A gust of wind blew hard and damp against her face. It seemed to blow away those floating sparks. Panic died down. She stood quite still, with the water about her ankles, and listened intently. There was no sound of pursuit. She could see no following light. Very gently she stepped back out of the water and up on to the rising ground that bordered it. She was on the edge of a fair-sized piece of water. The faint glimmer of it answered the cloudy dusk of the night sky above. All round a blackness that spoke of shrubs and trees.

Sally turned to the left and made for the deep shadow there. She must hide, and then presently, perhaps, she could make her way back to the gap and get away by the lane. When she came close to the bushes she found that they were rhododendrons, grown wild and hanging in branching masses over the water. She moved along, looking for an opening and presently found one. She had to push aside some jutting sprays, and then found, to her surprise, that she was in a narrow pathway which appeared to skirt the lake. The overgrown shrubs had once, no doubt, been neatly kept and clipped, but now they straggled everywhere, sending up young shoots under foot and arching densely overhead. It was dreadfully dark, and very wet under foot. The only gleams of light came from the water on her right, wherever there was a gap, or a thinning of the rhododendron wall. Sally began to feel cold and desolate. This was a horrible black maze, and she was hungry, and her feet were wet, and she wanted Bill, oh, most dreadfully she wanted Bill. She came to a standstill where a birch tree rose, airy and slender, from the mass of evergreens, and, flinging her arms about its trunk, she began to cry silently, but with great bitterness.

Meanwhile, Bill Armitage had emerged from Miss Shaw's room, and advanced cautiously to the top of the stairs. He was tolerably sure that Sally was not in the house. She must have been found by now unless she had managed to escape into the grounds. The house was deadly still. No footsteps coming and going, no voices. He went cautiously down the stairs as far as the turn, and looked over the balustrade. He could hear the ticking of the tall clock which stood in the corner of the hall just out of sight, and he could see the chandelier hanging from the ceiling with all three of its globes alight. He was just going to take another step or two when the sound of a groan struck upon his ears. It seemed to come from the hall. After a moment it was repeated. Bill moved carefully, shifting his position until he could see the foot of the stairs, and there, on the last step, sat a young man with his head in his hands, groaning. From the strong draught which was blowing up the well of the stairs, Bill concluded that the front door must be wide open. As Miss Shaw would, doubtless, have said, a very singular situation. How to connect the groaning young man and the open hall door at all helpfully with Sally, was not immediately clear. It occurred to Bill, however, that, exit by the door being barred, he had better once more make use of the dressing-room window, and he began to go upstairs again, taking two steps at a time.

On the top step he turned his head and saw Etta Shaw standing just where the left-hand passage came out upon the stairhead. Light streamed from an open door a yard or two behind her, and she came forward quickly, almost running, dabbing her eyes with a bright blue handkerchief and sobbing as she came.

She did not see Bill until she almost ran into him, and the second's grace gave him time to get his balance. Even as she recoiled with a little gasp of surprise, he said very gravely, "Hush, I want a few words with you," and led the way, with a composure which he was far from feeling, down the other passage and into Miss Harriet's room.

As he went on he wondered if she would scream and give the alarm, but when he switched on the light and closed the door he found that she had followed him, and was waiting in obvious terror for what he had to say.

What she expected he did not know.

What he said was:

"Where is Sally?"

She turned pale, then red again.

"I don't know. I don't know," she whispered, looking at him with frightened eyes.

"Your answers were not at all satisfactory. I have returned in order to make further enquiries. I suppose you know that there are very heavy penalties for kidnapping and that sort of thing. I ask you again: Where is Sally?

"I don't know, I don't. Oh, Major Armitage, I really don't know. I can't go on like this. I can't. I told Sally that I couldn't, and I can't."

"Sally has been here, then?" said Bill sternly.

"No, no, I don't know what I'm saying, and I don't. I don't know where she is. Oh, let me go, let me go."

"Control yourself, please. I don't wish to keep you. I think you had better go to your aunt. Sit down and pull yourself together, and then go to her. Don't let her see you like this."

"Where are you going?" said Etta, as he opened the door. "What are you going to do? Major Armitage, what are you going to do?"

"Find Sally," said Bill grimly, and shut the door on her. He had never disliked anyone so much in all his life.

His passage through Miss Shaw's room was of the briefest. The old lady, who was trying to coax Marmaduke from his perch, had hardly time to look up, the canaries hardly time to flutter, before the dressing-room door had closed upon him.

Old Miss Shaw went on looking at the door through which he had vanished for some time. Then she turned back to her birds, with a deep sigh.

"Very singular, very singular indeed," she observed, and Alfred and Marmaduke twittered their agreement.

It was with considerable relief that Bill found himself out of doors again. The house was too much for him. He felt quite definitely that he could not cope any further with the groaning young man, or with Etta, or with Miss Shaw. He felt he had had enough of canaries, and cats, and sentimental reminiscences. Being out of doors again felt very good indeed.

He made his way to the front of the house, and perceived in the distance the flash of a torch away on the left and down the hill. The high wall lay between him and the road, and a belt of shrubs followed it, cypress-like shapes that made a gloom and gave out aromatic odors as he brushed past them. A furlong or two beyond the house and the shrubs were on either side with a narrow gravel path between them. All the trees and bushes were wild and ill-kept, and as Bill moved cautiously along the path he kept his hands out before him, and fended off more than one straying branch which would otherwise have caught him across the face. He lost the light which he had seen, and blundered on in the dark which became deeper as the ground sloped downwards and overshadowing trees grew thicker and wilder.

At last even the glimpse of deep lead-colored sky was gone, and the branches covered everything with an interwoven roof. It was like moving in a tunnel, a tunnel that was low, and narrow, and wet under foot. Bill wondered where on earth the pathway was taking him. Touch and hearing were his only guide, and under his groping touch elusive leaves withdrew, whilst his ears seemed full of odd whispering noises and of the sound of his own feet slipping and squelching in the muddy slime.

Then suddenly the light again. A flash like the flicker of a bird's wing, gone in a breath and leaving an even, inky black behind. He stood still and counted ten. Then again the quick flickering light, but this time he was expecting it, and saw that his path lay along the edge of some large pond or lake. The flash came from the water's edge about fifty yards away, and between it and him he had a glimpse of a black waterway that was bounded on every side by the dark. He listened intently, and heard the lapping and the even flow of the water, the passing gust of a wind with fine rain in it, the rustle and movement of leaf on glossy leaf, and faintly behind these sounds the impact of feet, moving as his own had done, in wet and boggy ground. The sound was so faint that he could not be sure that it was not fancy that made him suppose he heard it. Then it ceased, and again the light flashed out, much more to the right now, and making for a full half minute a lane of brightness that moved steadily up, down and sideways before it disappeared. In that half minute Bill heard a new sound, a little gasping sound that made him take his own breath quickly. It was very faint, very weak, but it came to him through all the voices of the night and cried to him; and as he heard it he saw.

A yard or two from where he stood the path ran sharply in to the right, and then out again a hairpin bend. The water followed it. The bank, crumbling and irregular, fell away on the near side. On the far side, high, overhanging the water, and held up by branching roots, an entangled covert of rhododendron made a wall that topped the bank.

And under the bank stood Sally. The ray of light passed between shadowing boughs, and Bill saw her. His heart leapt. He saw her. The ray of light passed on. He had seen her, and in his mind he saw her still, standing close in under the bank, almost knee deep in water, bareheaded, the short, bright hair draggled, dishevelled, the little white face piteous beyond words, the eyes blank with terror. His Sally, his little, little Sally. They had brought her to this! What had they done to her? She was so damned plucky, and they had brought her to this! A blazing fury of rage took him stumbling forward. He half spoke her name, and then his foot caught in a loop of root, and he came down heavily in a bog of mud and slime. As he fell he heard the sound of someone running. It came from behind him.

(To Be Continued)

Duke of Bivona Dead

MADRID, March 29.—The Duke of Bivona, former governor of Barcelona, is dead. He has no heir.

"Woman," says a distinguished member of the British Association, "is in every way inferior to man." Well, from the very first she was only a side-issue.

LEADING BOSTON CLUB WOMAN COMING

Mrs. Oscar Gallagher Will Reach Here on Friday and Speak in Evening

Mrs. Oscar Gallagher, of Boston, president of the World Alliance of Unitarian Women, will arrive in the city on Friday afternoon.

That evening she will deliver an address at the First Unitarian Church at 8 o'clock. She is a capable speaker, and as the accompanying brief sketch of her public career shows, she has been active in women's movements for a great many years.

Mrs. Gallagher has served as president of the Church of the Disciples, Boston, branch of the Alliance for four years; first vice-president of the New England Associate Alliance for three years, and chairman of the Monday Conference of Alliance of Massachusetts for two years. She is a member and at present acting chairman of the Committee on Education of the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Clubs. She is also 18th vice-president of the Boston City Federation, a member of the New England Women's Club and member and past president of the Daughters of Vermont of Boston. She was elected to the national presidency of the Alliance of Unitarian Women in May, 1923.

Although Mrs. Gallagher's father was a captain in the Civil War, her grandfather fought in the war of 1812, and a great-grandfather was a Revolutionary soldier, she avows her belief that national and international differences should be settled by law instead of war. Her husband, a well known educator, is superintendent of schools in Brookline, Mass.

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Mrs. Greenwood Dead

VANCOUVER, March 29.—Mrs. Nellie Greenwood, wife of A. E. Greenwood, night editor of The Province, died this morning from a heart attack, following a brief illness. Mrs. Greenwood, who was a native of London, Ont., came to Vancouver with her husband in 1906.

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NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

Cougars Play Maroons At Montreal Tonight

Three of World's Champions on Casualty List—Clem Loughlin Has Injured Shoulder, Patrick and Anderson Broken Hands—Rest of Squad Reported Fit and Ready for Fray

MONTREAL, March 29.—Three members of the world's champion Victoria Cougars, here to defend the Stanley Cup, are on the injured list, and one of them may not be able to play in the opening game of the Stanley Cup series tomorrow at the Forum, Lester Patrick, the colorful leader of the squad, who after years out of hockey played in several games this year, said today.

Lester himself is one of the injured ones. He has a broken hand which he got some time ago, and this means that he will not be in uniform, as so many of his old friends in Montreal had hoped. Ernie "Jocko" Anderson, defence man of the Cougars, is also suffering from a broken hand. His injury is not quite so serious as that of Lester Patrick, however. The third member of the casualty list of the Victoria team is "Captain" Clem Loughlin, who is suffering from an injury to his shoulder, received in the last game against Edmonton for the Western championship.

The remainder of the team are reported in good condition, although somewhat tired after their long trip across the continent.

No Predictions

Manager and Owner Lester Patrick did not care to make any predictions as to the outcome of the Stanley Cup series. He was hopeful that his team would retain the coveted trophy, but felt that the Westerners were up against a tough proposition, and with injured men, the long journey and the changed climatic conditions, the odds to start with were certainly not in his favor.

The Cougars were practising at the Forum at noon today and they got a good limbering up.

The Maroons were only skating around the ice this morning. They are fine just now and have been playing so many games lately they don't need workouts. Every one of them is reported in good condition.

Three capacity crowds are assured for the three-game series, as tickets were practically sold out today, the first day of the sale.

Under the Doctor

There is one casualty reported in the Cougar ranks for a local doctor to look after—that is Clem Loughlin. He has a bad shoulder, and Dr. Tees is in attendance. He is booked to have an X-ray examination, and it will then be determined when he should play. Lester Patrick will be juggling his team around for the battle tomorrow night. He has a good roster and can make many varied combinations. There is one sure thing, and that is, "Happy" Holmes, a veteran of many a world's championship hockey game, will be back in goal.

Fraser and Loughlin are now booked on the defence, although the injury to the latter may keep him on the bench. Should this be the case, "Slim" Halderson will be given an opportunity to fit into a regular berth, and it may mean that Lester Patrick, himself, will have to don the old uniform.

Patrick is likely to start the whirlwind "Gizzy" Hart at left wing. Hart has been playing a dashing brand of hockey and the Cougar manager is confident that the left winger has a few good games in his system. If Hart starts at left wing, Fredrickson and Jack Walker, grizzled veteran and poke check star, will be the other forwards. This will leave Frank Foyston, Harry Meeking and Russell Oatman as a second forward line to be injected as a unit.

Gyros Send Best Wishes to Team On Eve of Scrap

THE Victoria Gyros Club last night sent a wire to Lester Patrick and his Victoria Cougars in Montreal, expressing best wishes for the team's success in the East and the confidence the Gyros have in the pond sextette that is seeking its second world's hockey Championship in a row.

UNIVERSITY SCHOOL HAS BUSY WEEK-END

The week-end activities of University School were of a highly interesting character, both for the boys and the many parents and friends who gathered to witness them. Friday morning saw the cadet inspection by General Ross, when the corps turned out smart in both appearance and action. Having won the championship of the province on many previous occasions, and failing last year by a very small margin, they had worked hard under their indefatigable instructor, Sergt.-Major Watson, and are hopeful of securing the coveted honor for 1926. Their physical training exhibition was especially pleasing to the onlookers, being full of snap and vim.

"Gym" Display

On Friday evening there was a goodly gathering for the annual gymnastic display and competition, consisting of P. T. work, the horse, parallel bars and trapeze. After a spirited contest T. W. Moore was declared the "gym" champion for 1926, which is the second year in succession he has won this honor, and the following boys in the order named won their place and colors on the eight: Cotton, Hargreaves, Gordon II, Skillings, Metcalf, Lambly and Tye I.

On Saturday evening an excellent attendance of both parents and friends took in the boxing finals, when a fine display was given, especially by the juniors, and there was no lack of excitement, as the boys one and all fought strenuously in the various weights for the championships. The following were the results: Heavyweight, Lambly; welterweight, Tye I; lightweight, Perry; bantamweight, Jackson; featherweight, Fisher; flyweight, McLaughlin iv; paperweight, Allen; 100-pound class, Jones II; ninety-five-pound class, Richardson and Tulk II, a draw.

Messrs. Russell Ker and Jack Matson kindly acted as judges, Mr. Reg. Wenman as timekeeper, whilst Mr. A. G. Bolton once again acted as referee.

Most Scientific

The special medal presented by the headmaster for the most scientific boxer of the tournament, whether loser or winner, was won by Ladow I, who, with his brother, put on an exhibition bout, whilst much amusement was created by a three-round bout put on by Mr. A. G. Bolton and P. D. Graham.

Boxing colors have been awarded to Lambly, Tye I, Perry, Ladow I, and Ladow II.

It was hoped to have had the contest for the school championship between the challenger, Tye I, and the heavyweight, Lamby, carried through, but owing to the latter having sprained his ankle, this event had to be postponed for a few days.

With all these activities over, the new term, after the Easter recess, will see cricket and tennis in full swing, the former game calling this year for many contests, as not only the Gillespie Shield, but the Flumerfelt Cup, are open events in which the school will compete, but there is the Clayton Cup for half a dozen teams within the school itself.

VICTORIA GOLFERS WIN FROM UPLANDS

Each Club Wins on Home Course—Oak Bay Has Large Margin on Totals

Victoria golfers won the interclub matches played Sunday against the Uplands by a margin of seventy-one points on the day's play. At the Uplands, one of the closest matches yet staged was in progress, with the home team winning out by a total of 71 against 69 for the singles and fourballs.

At Oak Bay Uplands "B" team lost out by a margin of seventy-three points. The scores at the end of the day were Oak Bay 111½, Uplands 38½.

The scores and teams were as follows, Victoria players being named first in each instance:

"A" Team at Uplands

Singles

J. S. Hargrave 2, A. V. Price 1.
J. S. Matson 1 1-2, R. J. Darcus 1 1-2.
A. G. Beasley 2 1-2, J. Savident 1-2.
J. H. Wilson 3, W. G. Leith 0.
H. E. Haynes 2 1-2, P. Edmonds 1-2.
Dick Moore 1, H. F. Hepburn 2.
A. T. Goward (captain) 1-2, H. E. Hunnings 2 1-2.
J. S. Matterson 0, R. L. Challoner 3.
H. G. Garrett 1, C. Morrison 2.
W. P. D. Pemberton 1, A. C. Falk 2.
H. R. B. Paterson 2, W. A. R. Hadlay 2.
H. O. Kirkham 1, A. D. Findlay 2.
A. S. G. Musgrave 3, Geo. Pretty 0.
A. H. Ford 2 1-2, R. Peachey 1-2.
J. A. Rithet 1 1-2, A. F. Thomas 1 1-2.
C. B. Wilson 3, S. L. Feesey 0.
Stan. Haynes 1, D. A. Macdonald 2.
Carew Marfin 0, W. H. M. Haldane (captain), 3.
A. E. Haynes 2 1-2, L. Glazan 1-2.
P. T. Paul 1-2, O. C. Royle 2 1-2.
Dick Wilson 3, D. M. Gordon 0.
R. C. Burdick 1-2, V. R. Gravlin 2 1-2.
W. H. Gardiner 0, A. Lawrie 3.
Major D. A. Hogg 1, W. P. Unsworth 2.
Dr. W. T. Barrett 0, A. Sheret 3.
A. M. Shaw 0, F. Wilding 3.
W. L. McIntosh 0, J. R. Hibberson 3.
T. O. Mackay 1-2, J. B. Shaw 2 1-2.
Total: Victoria 37, Uplands 47.

Fourball Matches

J. S. Hargrave and J. S. Matson 3, A. V. Price and R. J. Darcus 1.
A. G. Beasley and J. H. Wilson 3, J. Savident and W. G. Leith 1-2.
H. E. Haynes and Dick Moore 0, P. Edmonds and H. F. Hepburn 4.
A. T. Goward and J. S. Matterson 3, H. E. Hunnings and R. L. Challoner 1-2.
B. G. Garrett and W. P. D. Pemberton 0, C. Morrison and A. C. Falk 4.
H. R. B. Paterson and H. O. Kirkham 0, W. A. R. Hadley and A. D. Findlay 4.
A. S. G. Musgrave and A. H. Ford 2, Geo. Pretty and R. Peachey 2.
J. A. Rithet and C. B. Wilson 0, A. F. Thomas and S. L. Feesey 4.
Stan. Haynes and Carew Martin 1, D. A. Macdonald and W. H. M. Haldane 3.
A. E. Haynes and P. T. Paul 3, L. Glazan and O. C. Royle 1-2.
Dick Wilson and R. C. Burdick 4, D. M. Gordon and V. R. Gravlin 0.
W. H. Gardiner and Major D. A. Hogg 3, A. Lawrie and W. P. Unsworth 1-2.
Dr. W. T. Barrett and A. M. Shaw 4, A. Sheret and F. Wilding 0.
W. L. McIntosh and T. O. Mackay 4, J. R. Hibberson and J. B. Shaw 0.
Total: Victoria 32, Uplands 24
Grand total: Victoria 69, Uplands 71.

"B" Team at Oak Bay

Singles

L. H. Hardie (captain) 3, J. B. Lambert 0.
J. V. Scrivener 0, E. J. Naylor 3.
Dr. J. D. Hunter 0, A. R. Henshall 3.
A. R. Green 2, R. D. Travis 1.
L. C. Boyd 1, S. J. Halls 2.
A. S. Gore 0, G. S. Carr (captain) 3.
C. W. Pangman 2, B. G. Robinson 1.
W. R. Cathels 3, P. Austin 0.
W. R. Wilson 3, A. R. Sanders 0.
A. D. King 3, C. V. Scrivener 0.
E. S. Read 3, J. A. Oddy 0.
Dr. D. M. Baillie 1-2, G. C. Baker 2 1-2.
J. C. Barnacle 2 1-2, R. H. Aaronson 1-2.
R. Baird 3, W. Wilkie 0.
C. W. Gamble 2, F. Partridge 1.
R. Musgrave 3, A. E. James 0.
H. G. S. Heisterman 0, J. H. McConnell 3.
Dr. Scott-Moncrieff 2 1-2, A. C. Futcher 1-2.
J. M. Hedley 3, A. Inglis 0.
L. D. Pattullo 2 1-2, W. G. H. Firth 1-2.
Ken. Raymur 2, C. W. Geiger 1.
A. C. Watts-Jones 1-2, R. A. Semple 2 1-2.
Col. E. M. Browne 3, S. H. Ewing 1.
F. A. Wylie 3, F. H. Blashfield 0.
Vic. Macdowall 0, E. W. Hanbury 3.
Nairn Robertson 2, F. C. Dillabough 1.
Capt. W. C. Merston 3, O. G. Leach 0.
J. W. Ambery 1, F. L. Leslie 2.
Dr. Garesche 3, W. F. Loveland 0.
J. R. Paton 3, Jas. Ellis 0.
Total: Victoria 58 1-2, Uplands 31 1-2.

Fourball Matches

Hardie and Scrivener 4, Lambert and Naylor 0.
Hunter and Green 3 1-2, Henshall and Travis 1-2.
Boyd and Gore 4, Halls and Carr 0.
Pangman and Cathels 4, Robinson and Austin 0.
Wilson and King 2, Sanders and Scrivener 2.
Read and Baillie 4, Oddy and Baker 0.
Barnacle and Baird 4, Aaronson and Wilkie 0.
Gamble and Musgrave 2, Partridge and James 2.
Heisterman and Scott-Moncrieff 4, McConnell and Futcher 0.
Hadley and Pattullo 3, Inglis and Firth 1.
Raymur and Watts-Jones 3, Geiger and Semple 1.
Browne and Wylie 4, Ewing and Blashfield 0.
Macdowall and Robertson 3 1-2, Hanbury and Dillahough 1-2.
Merston and Ambery 4, Leach and Leslie 0.
Garesche and Paton 4, Loveland and Ellis 0.
Total: Victoria 53, Uplands 7.
Grand total: Victoria 111 1-2, Uplands 38 1-2.

Rep Soccer Team Selected for Good Friday Match

THE teams to provide the soccer tit-bit here on Good Friday will be St. Saviour's, of Vancouver, and a local representative eleven. The game is to be played at the Royal Athletic Park at 2:30 p.m. McMillan will referee and Alcock and Hewitson will be the linesmen. W. McDuff, of Esquimalt, will be the local team manager. The teams will be as follows:

St. Saviour's—Roots; Constable and Butchart; Robertson, Cameron and Hendry; Moffatt, Perrett, Hammond, Coulter and Roots.

Victoria—Rodgers (James Island); Dunn (Wests), and White (Services); Shanks (S.O.E.), Peden (Wests), Hay (Esquimalt), Cummings (Services), Mulcahy (Wests), Coulter (Services), Quainton (S.O.E.) and Davis (Esquimalt). Reserves: Weir (Services), Mesher, Warden and John Watt (Esquimalt), Thomas (S.O.E.).

All players picked on the local team are asked to notify Mr. Robertson, telephone 65221, whether they are available or not, not later than Wednesday night. All players are asked to be on the ground by 2:15, and to bring pants, boots and sweaters with them.

PARSONS WILL AGAIN LEAD THE CRICKETERS

Is Re-elected President of Local Association—No Tournament Will Be Held This Year

The annual general meeting of the Victoria and District Cricket Association was held in the Chamber of Commerce Rooms on the 26th inst. All clubs were well represented and a capital meeting ensued. The pessimistic blues has been as contagious as the "flu" this last Winter, and at one time there certainly seemed a dreary outlook for cricket during the 1926 season. The meeting, however, was of such a cheery character that gloom was quickly dispelled and a promise of good times permeated the whole session.

Mr. Parsons begged leave to resign the presidency and fought hard against the storm of complimente, eulogiery and blandishments which his attempted resignaiion brought buzzing around him and finally had to promise to stand for another year.

New Secretary

Major Howden was appointed secretary in place of F. C. Sealey, who resigned. Major Howden is a master at the University School, Mount Tolmie, and his appointment met with very hearty endorsation.

H. Edwards, the popular wicket keeper for the Five Cs, was re-elected as vice-president, as also his clubmate, J. Longfield, to the treasurer's office.

Reg. Wenman was appointed average secretary in place of Mr. Vaughn, resigned.

Messrs. Parsons, Booth, Lethaby and Sealey were appointed last Autumn to revise the rules, and so successfully was the work done that they were passed as submitted, with the exception of two minor amendments.

No Tournament

It was decided that no tournament should be held during 1926. The season's programme is in the hands of the executive and a good season is looked for. Anyone in town who would like to take part in the games can be sure of a most hearty welcome and all information would gladly be given by Mr. Parsons at the office of Messrs. Lea & Parsons, Broad Street, or phone Major Howden, 7450L1.

VICTORIA GOLF CLUB

Medal Competition Arranged for Good Friday—Mixed Foursomes to Be Played on Easter Monday

At the Victoria Golf Club on Good Friday, April 2, there will be a sweepstake competition consisting of thirty-six holes medal play with full handicap allowed. Competitors will choose their opponents and arrange their starting time. The entrance fee will be fifty cents and post entries will be received. Two prizes will be awarded.

On Easter Monday, April 5, 1926, there will be a mixed foursome sweepstake, consisting of eighteen holes medal play. One half of the combined handicaps will be allowed, but no competitor to be allowed more than thirty, and the handicap of a player who has a partner with a handicap of eight or less will be limited to twenty-four.

Players may choose their partners and opponents and arrange their starting time and may either play in the morning or afternoon. There will be an entrance fee of one dollar per couple, and two prizes will be awarded. Post entries will be received and score cards must be obtained from the secretary and turned in to him duly signed. Ladies on the waiting list and monthly visitors may enter for this competition and their authorized handicaps will be accepted subject to the approval of the handicap committee.

COFFROTH HANDICAP WON BY CARLARIS

Great English-Bred Colt Winner of Big Race at Tijuana—Roycrofter Is Second

SAN DIEGO, Cal., March 29.—Carlaris, wonder colt, owned by the Chula Vista stable, returned his owners $70,700 here yesterday in the running of the seventh renewal of the Coffroth handicap, Western racing classic, over a mile and a quarter course, when he beat out a field of nine stellar runners by eight lengths pulled up. Roycrofter finished second; Cherry Tree was four lengths back for third, and Kentucky Cardinal finished another length back for fourth. Time, 2:02 3-5.

The time breaks the track record of 2:04 4-5, set by Dr. Clark, by 2 1-5 seconds.

Carlaris was piloted to a sensational victory by Jockey Willie Munden, of Montreal.

Carlaris is a bay colt, three years old, bred in England by Pharlaris, out of Carnival, and was acquired by W. T. Anderson, of Chula Vista, as a two-year-old for the reported price of $6,500.

A crowd estimated at well over 25,000 saw the race.

Mutuel prices were: Carlaris, $4.00, $3.20, $3.20; Roycrofter, $7.80, $4.40; Cherry Tree, $3.20.

Will Be Sold

SAN DIEGO, March 29.—Carlaris, who won his title of wonder colt yesterday by taking the Coffroth handicap in easy fashion and in time which shattered the track record, will be sold by W. T. Anderson, head of the Chula Vista stable, owner of the great British colt.

Mixed Foursomes to Be Played Good Friday at Uplands Golf Course

A mixed foursome competition will be held at the Uplands Golf Club on Good Friday. Half of the combined handicap will be allowed and entries will be received up until 4 o'clock Wednesday. Entry fee will be fifty cents a couple.

Old Country Football

LONDON, March 29.—League football games played today:

English League—First Division

Manchester City 1, Bolton Wanderers 1.

Second Division

Swansea 3, Southampton 1.

LONDON, March 29. — Rugby games played over the week-end and reported today:

Torquay 5, Plymouth 11.
Catford Bridge 9, London Welsh 17.
Edinburgh Institute 5, Hawick 23.
Royal High School 4, Gala 10.
Jed Forest, 3, Kelso 21.
Selkirk 0, Melrose 3.
Walkerburn 6, Edinburgh Wanderers 8.
Peebles 6, St. Mary's Hospital 3.
Morrison 3, Bridgend 8.
Notts 8, Waterloo 10.
Clifton 0, Wellington 6.
Glamorgan Wanderers 15, Weston 6.
Sale 30, Broughton Park 10.

Golf Championships Draw Record List of Entrants

Twenty-Two Professionals to Play in New Open Event at Jericho—Men's Amateur Contest Expected to Provide Very Close Competition

VANCOUVER, March 29.—A record number of entries have been filed for the B.C. golf championships to be played over the Jericho Country Club course here starting on Wednesday morning and continuing through until Saturday. There are twenty-eight entries in the open, forty-eight in the men's amateur play, and twenty-one in the women's amateur. Twenty-two professionals will contest the open, and in this class twenty players from outside the city have entered. Sixteen out-of-town golfers will contest the men's amateur event, and five in the women's tourney.

Players from as far south as California and as far east as Winnipeg will be seen in action. Some of the best shot makers on the Pacific Coast have filed their entry form with Secretary H. P. Taylor, and these include among the professionals: Joe Novak (of Berkeley), Phil Taylor and Alex. Marling (of Victoria), A. J. Eckhout, Perry Gall, Curpley Huetson, G. L. and Walter Pursey, and F. Henwood, of Seattle; Mortie Dutra, of Aberdeen; Phil Jefferson, of Everett, together with local pros.

The calibre of players to contest the open is seen by the entry of such men as Bon Stein, of Seattle; A. C. McWilliams, of Calgary, Western Canada amateur titleholder; Hugo Haakons, of Seattle, and Dr. W. B. Houston, of Calgary.

Many Good Amateurs

Close play is expected in the men's amateur tourney as the entries include a great number of splendid golfers.

In the women's event Mrs. H. G. Hutchings, of Winnipeg, will contest the title, while Mrs. Douglas Laird, Manitoba champion, and Mrs. J. T. Gray, of Calgary, will also play in the tourney.

Following is the list of out-of-town entries: M. Dutra, Aberdeen; J. Eckhout, Percy Gall, F. Henwood, Dr. W. H. Houston, J. H. Jones, R. J. Johnson, G. L. and Walter Pursey, Bon Stein and C. Huetson, Seattle; W. B. Heyworth, Noel Macfarlane, Nanaimo; Phillip Jefferson, Everett; Phil Taylor, Alex. Marling, W. H. Gravlin, of Victoria; A. C. McWilliams, Calgary; W. Davidson, Seattle; S. M. Forsman, Oakland; W. G. Forvague, Grays Harbor; G. H. Gray, Calgary; H. S. Griggs, Tacoma; Hugo Haakons, Seattle; J. S. Hargrave, Victoria; W. R. Mitchell, Dr. Margeson, A. V. Price, Victoria; F. A. Taylor and H. G. M. Wilson, Kelowna.

Those entering in the ladies' events from out of the city are: Mrs. J. T. Gray, Calgary; Mrs. Douglas Laird, Winnipeg; Mrs. W. R. Mitchell and Mrs. H. J. Wilson, Kelowna, and Miss M. L. Sayward, Victoria.

LADIES WILL PLAY FOR HUNTTING CUP

Teams Representing Victoria and Colwood to Play Against Jericho and Shaughnessy

A team representing the ladies of the Victoria and Colwood golf clubs is playing a match against a team representing the Shaughnessy and Jericho clubs of Vancouver on Thursday, on the Shaughnessy links. This is the first match of the year for the Huntting Cup. The last competition was won by the Vancouver team by one point. The team going from Victoria is as follows: Mrs. Abell, Mrs. Armstrong, Mrs. Burns, Mrs. Gillespie, Mrs. Godfrey, Mrs. Hutchinson, Mrs. Parry, Mrs. Philbrick, Mrs. Pocock, Miss Sayward, Mrs. Wilding and Miss Marion Wilson.

It is expected that Mrs. Hutchinson, Mrs. Philbrick, Miss Sayward, Mrs. Wilding and Miss Marion Wilson will stay in the Mainland city for the ladies' British Columbia championship.

Schaefer in Lead

NEW YORK, March 29.—Jake Schaefer, challenger, led Willie Hoppe, champion, by 600 to 544 tonight at the end of the second block of their 3,600-point match for the world's 18.1 balk line billiard championship.

Sending Out Rose To Chase Nurmi

CHRISTCHURCH, New Zealand, March 29. — The Australasian champion runner, R. A. Rose, will be sent by the New Zealand A.A. to meet Paavo Nurmi in the United States championships in Philadelphia, in July.

Rose will go to England to take part in the British championships if Nurmi is not competing in the United States championships. The association stipulates that Rose must meet Nurmi before he returns home and, if necessary, he will go to Sweden to do so.

Racing at Tijuana

TIJUANA, Mex., March 29.—Results of racing here today follow:

First race, four and one-half furlongs—Silver State, 98 (Neal), $4.20, $3.00, $2.60; Lord Valentine, 115 (Pendergast, $3.60, $3.00; Swift Lady, 95 (Philpot), $3.20. Time, :55 1-5.

Second race, five furlongs—Fleer, 112 (Neal), $15.00, $6.60, $3.00; Miss Omond, 105 (Laidley), $6.02, $3.00; Pennon, 112 (Burns), $2.40. Time, 1:02.

Third race, six furlongs—Tailteann, 108 (Philpot), $7.60, $3.40, $2.80; Jas. B. Brown, 110 (Neal), $3.00, $2.60; Shasta Limited, 113 (Roberts), $3.60. Time, 1:13.

Fourth race, Club House Course—Shasta Donna, 100 (Jones), $5.00, $3.20, $2.40; Hands Up, 113 (White), $4.60, $3.00; Bryn Dear, 110 (Renn), $4.20. Time 1:35 3-5.

Fifth race, mile and one-sixteenth—Roseate II, 111 (Neal), $4.60, $3.00, $2.20; Kingman, 105 (Crees), $2.80, $2.20; Great Luck, 103 (Hexam), $2.40. Time, 1:47 1-5.

Sixth race, one and one-half miles—Wonder Light, 102 (Wilson), $13.80, $5.00, $2.60; Wracklane, 105 (Neal), $3.20, $2.40; Composer, 111 (Taplin), $2.60. Time, 2:38 1-5.

Seventh race, one and one-quarter miles—Carlaris, 100 (Munden), $4.00, $4.20, $3.20; Roycrofter, 98 (White), $7.80, $4.40; Cherry Tree, 113 (Schaefer), $3.20. Time 2:02 3-5. (Carlaris made new track record of 2:02 3-5 and won by fifteen lengths.)

Eighth race, five furlongs—Miss Lester, 103 (Taplin), $3.60, $3.00, $2.80; Katinka, 100 (Neal), $7.80, $5.40; Incitor, 119 (Peternel), $8.00. Time, :59 3-5.

Ninth race, one mile—Zing, 105 (Neal), $7.80, $3.60, $3.00; Full of Fun, 107 (Pendergast), $4.00, $2.80; St. Angelina, 105 (Craig), $7.20. Time, 1:41.

Tenth race, seven furlongs—Hilarity, 107 (Neal), $8.00, $4.20, $3.20, El Roble, 112 (Laidley), $5.20, $3.80; Supervisor, 103 (Philpot), $3.80. Time, 1:26 1-5.

Overnight Entries

First race, five and one-half furlongs—Star Purse, 82; Ben Kripp, 97; Little Tokalon, 99; Gilliflower, 101; Daytime, 104; Midnight Bell, 105; Coombs, 107; No Wonder, 107; Rosa Atkin, 110; Full Moon, 110; Lord Valentine, 113; Black Pat, 116.

Second race, five and one-half furlongs—Tolicha, 96; Step by Step, 105; Rose Roberts, 105; Ethel Brown, 105; Lawrence Manning, 107; Las Trancas, 108; Wiklup Papoose, 108; Be More Careful, 108; Captain Kinnarney, 111; Big Wig, 112; False Alarm, 112.

Third race, mile and seventy yards—Nona Marie, 100; Miss Eugene, 100; Dr. Blues, 108; Miss Paige, 112; Lighter, 114; Star Cloudy, 114; Harry Maxim, 117.

Fourth race, six furlongs—Dew Bank, 88; Adelo, 93; Little Phil, 95; Rochester II, 99; Macedonian, 108; Agreement, 109; Incitor, 119.

Fifth race, four and one-half furlongs—Rose Doyle, 95; El Mirasol, 100; Forbidden, 106; Judith Fairview, 110; Lot of Style, 110; Lloyd Brown, 112; Baleful, 112; Furious Hill, 112; Woodcry, 112; Apricot, 112.

Sixth race, Club House Course—Spanish Star, 98; Rachael Potter, 105; Pathan, 111; Kingman, 111; Prince Til Til, 111; Brother John, 111.

Seventh race, five and one-half furlongs—Aggie A., 94, Freecutter, 108; Baggage King, 110; Shady Brook, 111; Vanderburg, 112; George Starr, 112, Tubby A. 112; Dr. Corbett, 117; Pawnbroker, 117.

Eighth race, mile and seventy yards—Kentucky Smiles, 99; Booneville, 101; Little Hope, 104; St. Angelina, 104; Lank, 106; Hackamore, 106; Seawrack, 106; Son o' Unc, 106; Brian Kent, 106; Sweet and Low, 109; ia, 111.

Ninth race, five and one-half furlongs—Queen Bess, 105; Finis Glorious, 105; Hilarity, 105; Green Spring, 107; Norfield, 107; A. Lester, 107; Polo Star, 110; Kosman, 110.

Tenth race, mile and seventy yards—Vilna, 93; Lola Montez, 93; Poppins, 104; Devil Girl, 104; Seth's Memory, 109; Iseman, 109; Sorline, 111; Stump Jr., 105.

A few spinsters have been disappointed in love—also a great many married women.

Victoria Gun Club will hold its opening shoot Friday, April 2, 10:30 a.m., at their traps, Colwood Race Track. Everybody welcome.

Sportive Punches

By the "Old 'Un"

The Old 'Un was delighted to see that Mr. Walter Burton had come out in defence of the crow and in unqualified condemnation of a crow massacre in the nesting season.

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When it comes to British Columbia birds "Billy" Burton knows.

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Crows may do some damage; leave out the "may" if you like, but that they do nothing but damage or even more than their fair share of damage in the order of created things this one at any rate is not prepared to admit.

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If it comes to stripping a cherry tree of near-ripe fruit the Old 'Un will hack the so-called American robin against any feathered robber, but has anybody asked that robins be exterminated? Rather are they specially protected by law.

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If you were to take a referendum of the farmers of the Island to find out whether they considered crows or pheasants did the more damage, the Old 'Un would bet a box of cartridges at least three-quarters of them would say pheasants.

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Why not then exterminate the pheasants wholly and completely?

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Small boys do a terrible amount of damage at times. They rob orchards and break windows and get up to all kinds of devilment. Should we not then start a massacre of small boys, regardless of their mothers' feelings?

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The fact is the case has not been proved against the crow by any means and there is a lot of evidence on the side of his defence.

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Personally also we are of the opinion that no man is a sportsman who will kill any kind of birds in the nesting season.

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We know that at times there have been campaigns started in the United States against crows and that a lot of propaganda literature has been sent out trying to make hunters believe that crows are an unmitigated evil, and that little wars have been started against crows in different districts.

But we always had the idea that at the back of it there were people who were interested in the manufacture of ammunition for firearms.

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In fact WE KNOW that a good deal of the aforesaid literature has been sent out at their expense.

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But when anybody tries to interest us in going out weighted down with powder and lead to shoot crows because they kill an occasional young game bird, or hair seals because they prevent the canners getting ALL the salmon, why we beg to be excused.

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And when they tell us, in order to get us blazing away at seven cents or so the blaze that it is good sport, why they just make us sick, that's all.

Roller Hockey Play-Offs

Games to Be Played This Week to Decide City Championships—Series Starts Wednesday

The play-offs for the roller hockey city championships in the ninety-pound and 110-pound divisions are to be held this week at the Victoria West gymnasium. The first games will be held on Wednesday evening and the second games on Friday evening.

The teams appearing in the play-offs will be Oakland Eagles and V.I. Midgets in the ninety-pound class, and Foul Bay Monarchs and Hill's Corner in the 110-pound class. Both of the midget teams have been successful in not losing any of their games. The Eagles have the lightest team, some of their players being particularly small. The team, however, is very well balanced and the boys play a splendid brand of hockey. E. Carlow, their centre, is the top scorer in the ninety-pound division.

The V.I. team is practically the same team that won the championship two years ago and the boys play an exceptionally strong game. Owing to their advantage in weight the V.I. team has a decided advantage over the Oaklands boys, but it is predicted that they will have to play their best hockey if they wish to retain their city championship for another year.

The game between Foul Bay Monarchs and Hill's Corner should prove to be a thrilling encounter. The Foul Bay boys have been playing together for several years and play a wonderful game. This team also has an advantage in weight and in their previous games with Hill's Corner team they have won by several goals. Tom Hickinson, who is managing the Hill's Corner team, has had his boys out practicing of late and he is confident that his team will be a strong contender for the championship honors.

The second game of the International series with Seattle teams has been set for Saturday, April 10, when the Seattle teams, accompanied by a large crowd of their supporters, will visit Victoria for the final games of the series. The games will again be played at the big exhibition building at the Willows Park, which will be especially fixed up for the occasion.

Pick Soccer Team To Tour Canada

LONDON, March 29.—The international selection committee of the English Football Association has chosen the following team to tour Canada:

Goal, Sewell (Blackburn Rovers) and Dale (Barnsley); backs, Barkas (Huddersfield), Keeping (Southampton) and Clifford (Portsmouth); halfbacks, Magee (West Bromwich Albion), Healless (Blackburn Rovers), Fozail (Portsmouth) Harcue (Southampton), and J. Booker (Nunhead); forwards, W. Harris (Birmingham), Jack (Bolton Wanderers), J. Carr (Middlesborough), Rawlings (Southampton), J. Smith (Bolton Wanderers), Wainscott (Leeds), Tunstall (Sheffield United), Williams (Middlesborough).

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Everybody's Game

Reminiscences of Golf by Jim Barnes

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XI.—Should Players Be Paired?

Tournament activities were cut short in 1917 owing to the war. The United States Golf Association decided not to hold either the national amateur or the open championship. However, the western championships were held, several prominent Easterners being invited to take part in the amateur championship, which was won by Francis Ouimet. Of course in the open, as in other years, there were no sectional limitations, and the tournament that year was the nearest approach to a national championship. It was played at the Westmoreland Country Club near Chicago, and I won with a total of 283, beating Walter Hagen by two strokes and Jock Hutchison by three.

This was my last year at White Marsh Valley. The next year I spent at the Broadmoor Golf Club of Colorado Springs, and as in the preceding year there was practically no tournament play. Following the engagement at Broadmoor, I moved to the Sunset Hill Club of St. Louis. This connection was made largely through the instrumentality of a good friend, Jesse Carleton, who has now passed on. In his death golf lost a staunch patron and advocate. He was one of the pioneers of the game in that section. Many is the time that we have sat and talked about the game as well as other matters, and never one of the conversations but benefited me in some way.

I represented the Sunset Hill Club in the 1919 championship, which marked the resumption of play for the title after the war. It was played at the Brae-Burn Country Club, near Boston. With a lapse of two years between tournaments, naturally the championship that year was somewhat more "open" that usual. Chick Evans was defending the title he had won in 1916, and the field included practically all of the best professionals in the country as well as several very fine amateur players.

Something Wrong

The championship was played the second week in June. I had been playing well since early Spring, and figured that with the advantage of more experience, I was about due to break through. But in fact, I finished fourteen strokes behind Mike Itrady and Walter Hagen, who tied for first place at the end of seventy-two holes. Like the saytng of the old Scotchman—I just played good useless golf all the way through. When I was hitting the ball well away from the tee, my approaches were not what they should have been, or else I was erratic in putting. Something was wrong all the time.

Incidentally, in the first drawing, I had the luck to draw a player who had been out late the night before and had not fully recovered from the effects. I recall that on two holes alone, his count totalled twenty-nine strokes. On the eighth hole, which is a one-shotter across a deep cavern, he topped his tee shot and the ball went bounding down among a great collection of loose stones. The time he had getting it out of there, was no experience to envy. Naturally enough, having to wait and watch him prospect around among these boulders with a niblick didn't help my own scoring any.

This experience brings up a matter which has often been discussed quite at length, namely, the question of whether the players in a big championship should be purposely paired or the names of all drawn from a hat.

Personally I think they should be paired. Not necessarily that the crack players should be drawn together and started at such times as to give them the best of playing conditions. But rather that the relative playing merits of two players ought to be considered as far as is possible, so as to see that players of approximately equal skill and playing experience are paired together. This really means more consideration both for the better players and for the young and inexperienced ones.

Too Much Gallery

In the British championship this year, I was drawn in the first round with a young Scot from Troon. He had had very little tournament experience and was badly flustered by the crowd—so much so that he told me, before we had played more than two or three holes, that the gallery had him rattled and that he wasn't able to hit a shot right. He would very much rather have been playing with some younger player where he probably would not have had to contend with a gallery. At the same time, his erratic play might easily have affected my own game. As a matter of fact it did not, but it is possible for such things to happen.

On the other hand where two players of about equal skill are paired, they are usually something of a help to each other.

It doesn't always happen, however, that your partner is a help, even where he happens to be a skillful shotmaker. I recall one championship in which Jock Hutchison was paired with Joe Kirkwood, and Jock came in after the round full of disgust. Usually you can judge a lot on how to play your own stroke after seeing your fellow competitor play his, if he happens to have to play the odd. But in this case Jock was complaining that he got no help whatever from Joe. The trouble was that Joe does a lot of trick shot stuff. What may look like hardly more than a mashie shot may cause him to drag out a spoon, with which he will play some kind of a cut shot, swinging the ball in from the side on a wide curve. And so on. This was what Jock meant in saying that a baily lot of help it was to watch him play ahead of you.

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POLICE CALLED IN AT WINNIPEG MATCH

Take Half-Hour to Clear Rink After Near Riot When Maroons and Hornets Play to Tie

WINNIPEG, March 29.—Hockey fans staged a wild demonstration here tonight at the conclusion of the fourth game in the semi-finals for the Central Amateur League title. Chairs in the box seats were smashed and hundreds of bottles and debris of all kinds thrown on the ice. Police had to be called to quell the disturbance.

The Winnipeg Maroons and the Duluth Hornets entered the game scheduled as the last of a four-game series in the semi-finals for the Central Hockey League title in a tie for total goals scored in the three preceding games. Tonight's game ended in a scoreless tie after one period of overtime. The crowd evidently expected that the game would continue to a finish and when it was announced that the game was over and a fifth game would be necessary the demonstration began with the majority of the 5,000 jammed into the amphitheatre taking part. It was half an hour before the rink could be cleared.

TODAY'S RADIO

Programme of Principal Western Broadcasting Stations

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (320.5)—5:45 p.m., by courtesy of The Daily Colonist, broadcasting of the hockey game between Montreal and the Victoria Cougars.

KOA, Denver, Col. (323)—5:30 p.m., dinner concert, Brown Palace string concert, Howard Tillotson director. 6:30 p.m., farm question box. 7:30 p.m., radio mystery serial, "A Step on the Stairs," arranged by Radio Digest (fifth insallment) and staged by KOA players, Iris Ruth Pavey, director.

KPWB, Hollywood, Cal. (252)—5 to 6 p.m., children's hour. 8 to 10 p.m., studio programme; vocal and insirumental numbers. 10 to 11 p.m., Warner Bros.' frolic.

KTBI, Los Angeles, Cal. (294)—7:15 to 8 p.m., Aunt Martha's children's hour. 8 to 9 p.m., studio programme.

KFWO, Avalon, Catalina Is. (211)—5 to 6 p.m., Miss Hewitt's golden hour. 6:20 to 7:45 p.m., Hotel St. Catherine orchestra and studio programme. 7:45 to 8:30 p.m., studio programme and weekly nature talk on Catalina Island.

KPAU, Boise, Idaho (280)—6:30 p.m., children's programme directed by Miss Mildred Selby, featuring Miss Margaret Cunningham. 7 to 8:30 p.m., lesson in public speaking, Rev. Cunningham; programme by courtesy of the Evening Capital News of Boise, Idaho.

KPO, San Francisco, Cal. (428)—6:30 p.m., Waldemar Lind and the States Restaurant orchestra. 7 to 7:30 p.m., Rudy Seigler's Fairmont Hotel orchestra. 8 to 9 p.m., studio programme, featuring Winifred Curry, pianist, and George Bossert, baritone. 9 to 10 p.m., programme broadcast through the courtesy of the Mona Motor Oil Company, featuring Gypsy and Marta, close harmony team, and the Mona Motor Oil trio. 10 to 11 p.m., Palace Hotel dance orchestra, Gene James, director. 11 to 12 p.m., Henry Halstead's Victor Recording orchestra; an hour of dance music.

KGO, Oakland, Cal. (361)—4 to 5:30 p.m., concert orchestra of the Hotel St. Francis, San Francisco, Vinton La Ferrera conducting. 6 to 6:55 p.m., dinner concert. 6:55 p.m., news items and final reading of weather and stock reports, and S.F. produce news. 8 to 9 p.m., Eveready programme.

KTCL, Seattle, Wash. (306)—9:30 to 9:45 a.m., stockyard and grain quotations; road conditions as furnished by the Automobile Club of Washington. 9:45 to 10 a.m., Fraser-Paterson Department Store studio programme. 10 to 10:15 a.m., John Davis & Co.; radio market basket, U.S. weather report. 6 to 7 p.m., Pacific Biscuit Company, studio programme. 7 to 8 p.m., Paragon House Furnishing Company, studio programme. 8 to 9 p.m., International Bible Students' Association, studio programme.

KNX, Hollywood, Cal. (337)—7 p.m., Cavalier Shoe Store courtesy programme. 7:45 p.m., talk on health by Dr. Robert T. Williams. 8 to 10 p.m., feature programme.

KJR, Seattle, Wash. (384)—10:30 to 11:30 a.m., Puget Sound Savings musical programme. 1:30 to 3 p.m., time signals, Post Intelligencer programme; organ recital from Columbia Theatre; "What to Prepare for Tonight's Dinner," by Bernice Reddington; daily produce report. 5:10 to 6 p.m., What's Doing at the Theatres" and weather reports. 6:35 to 6:50 p.m., "Motorlogues" by Motor Service Club. 6:30 to 7 p.m., financial summary compiled by Drumheller, Ehrlichman & White. 7 to 8:30 p.m., Frederick & Nelson programme; bedtime stories; music by Cornish School. 8:30 to 10 p.m., Puget Sound Savings and Loan Association concert orchestra, under the direction of Henri Danielli.

KFI, Los Angeles, Cal. (467)—5:30 p.m., matinee programme by Charles Beauchamp and Leila Isbell, tenor and pianist. 6 p.m., KFI nightly doings. 6:15 p.m., KFI's seeing California. 6:30 p.m., vest pocket concert. 6:45 p.m., radiotorial period. 7 p.m., programme by American-Hawaiian quartette. 8 p.m., programme by Screen Artist's quartette. 9 p.m., populhr programme, featuring Paul Roberts and Leslie Adams. 10 p.m., Packard ballad hour.

KFOA, Seattle, Wash. (455)—10 to 10:30 a.m., the home-makers' half-hour, conducted by Mary Gordon. 12:30 to 1:30 p.m., the Kiwanis Club luncheon programme from the Olympic Hotel. 3 to 4 p.m., programmes by Women's Clubs of Seattle and the Pacific Northwest, arranged by Mary Gordon. 4:15 to 5 p.m., The Times news bulletins, weather report and recipes. 5:15 to 5:30 p.m., around the towne; resume of KFOA programmes. 6 to 6:30 p.m., Atwater-Kent boys. 6:45 to 7 p.m., American Institute of Banking. 7 to 8 p.m., Olympic Calpet Refining Company. 9 to 10 p.m., Pacific Northwest hour. 10 to 11 p.m., Rhodes Department Store presenting Jackie Souder's Club; Lido Serenaders.

KQW, San Jose, Cal. (227)—6:30 p.m., U.S. Department of Agriculture programme. 7 p.m., California farm bureau evening radio news, consisting of news dispatches, weather reports, mail bag, farm topics and editorial talks.

KTAB, Oakland, Cal. (240)—8 to 10 p.m., studio programme.

CNRV, Vancouver, B.C. (291)—5:30 p.m., talk on subjects of general interest to women, followed by a musical programme. 7:30 p.m., health talk given by Dr. O. S. Parret, medical superintendent of the Resthaven Sanitarium, Sidney, B.C. 8 p.m., address, "Farm Management: The Results of an Intimate Study of One Hundred Farms in British Columbia," given by Mr. W. J. Riley, assistant in the Department of Poultry Husbandry of the University of British Columbia. 8:30 p.m., studio programme.

Tied for World's Greatest Golf Prize

ROGER WETHERED AND JOCK HUTCHISON
At the Time of Their Play-Off of Tie for the British Open Championship at St. Andrew's, in 1921.

Port Arthur and Toronto Unable to Break the Tie

Score Stands at Three-All After Half Hour Overtime in What Was to Have Been Deciding Game for Amateur Hockey Title

TORONTO, March 29.—Port Arthur and Toronto University battled through three regulation periods and thirty minutes of overtime tonight to a 3-3 tie in what was expected to be the deciding game for the amateur hockey championship and the Allan Cup. It was the third game of the series and the teams remained tied with one game won apiece and tonight's tie.

A fourth game will be played Thursday night, according to tentative plans, although no definite decision has been made tonight regarding the location or date.

Port Arthur made a courageous rally in the third period of tonight's game when, two goals down, they sent every man up to the attack and secured the necessary two goals to tie the game at three goals all. Varsity took the lead in tonight's clash in the first five seconds of play on an extremely soft goal. Plaxton secured from the initial face-off and drilled a slow shot from the blue line which Chabot handled rather carelessly and the puck trickled across the line for a counter.

Summary

First period—1, Varsity, Plaxton, :05; 2, Varsity, Porter, 3:00; 3, Varsity, Trottler, 11:55; 4, Port Arthur, Brydge, 1:00.

Second period—No score.

Third period—5, Port Arthur, Chapman, 7:30; 6, Port Arthur, Gray, 9:00.

Overtime—No score.

Penalties

First period—Brydge.

Second period — Chapman, Gray, Trottler.

Third period—Gray, Cox, Pudas, Porter.

First overtime period—Brydge.

Second and third overtime periods—None.

Left arm sprained and ligaments torn

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A freight brakeman on the Chicago and Northwestern Railway fell off the top of a box car on his left arm, spraining it and tearing the ligaments loose.

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Her Heart Palpitated She Had Fainting Spells

Mrs. J. Wilson, Port George, N.S., writes:—"I suffered from palpitation of the heart and fainting spells, and, at times, I could not be left alone I was so nervous.

My trouble was caused from overwork and worry, having been left alone with a large family.

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PENDRAY CUP FINAL IS SET FOR FRIDAY

Kirkhams and Hudson's Bay Soccer Teams Will Meet in Morning at Athletic Park

At last night's meeting of the Victoria and District Wednesday Football League final arrangements were made for the Pendray Cup final on Good Friday at the Royal Athletic Park, with the kick-off at 11 a.m., with Kirkhams and the Hudson's Bay as the opposing teams. The managers reported both teams to be at full strength and a good game should be the result. These teams are carrying plenty of young players on their forward lines, while the back division of each team is fairly strong. The Hudson's Bay will have Shrimpton, their star net custodian, between the sticks, with Gardiner and possibly Lock at full-back. Haggen, Webber and Kirchin will constitute the half-back line, while it is expected the forwards will be picked from Addie, Woodley, Clark, McKay, Mair and Hansen. For the groserymen Harper will lie between the posts, with Glancy and Post at full-back. Gibney, Preston and Collier will be the second line of defence, while it is expected that King, Fish, Taylor, Rutledge and Frampton will form the forward line. This is one of the fastest forward lines in the midweek soccer loop, and if the Bay's defence are going to stop these boys they will have their work cut out.

Hayward Cup Draw

The draw for the first round of the Hayward Cup, which will be played under a knockout system, was made last night and is as follows: Tillicums vs. Navy; Rennie & Taylor's vs. Kirkhams; Garrison and Hudson's Bay a bye. The first round will be played on Wednesday, April 7, the first-mentioned clubs playing at Beacon Hill and the latter playing at the Royal Athletic Park. The winners of these games will be drawn against the Garrison and Hudson's Bay.

NEW ZEALAND CHAMP SEEKS NEW LAURELS

Heavyweight Boxer Arrives in San Francisco—Has Had Sensational Ring Career

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.—George Modrich, heavyweight champion of New Zealand, arrived here in search of more pugilistic fields to conquer.

Slightly more than two years ago, Modrich discarded his plow on a farm outside of Auckland, and proceeded to enter the business of punching opponents around the ring.

His advance in the roped arena was nothing short of sensational, for he toppled over twenty-three of his twenty-four opponents by the knockout route; jolted the heavyweight crown from the head of Tim Sullivan to his own; and had his achievements recognized by the New Zealand Boxing Commission, which awarded him a certificate duly proclaiming him champion of that Commonwealth. One defeat early in his career is chalked up against Modrich. That was a decision gained by Tom Heany in ten rounds. Heany is now a contender for the European heavyweight title.

Since winning the title about a year ago, Modrich has had but one fight because promoters could find no suitable opponents. In his first workout here today he displayed considerable speed and a pair of good hands. It was only a shadow boxing affair.

Modrich is twenty-eight years of age and scales around 190 pounds. He is managed by Mickey Hart, of Auckland.

MINISTER OF LABOR RETURNED TO HOUSE BY 2,681 MAJORITY

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T. A. Elliot, defeated Conservative candidate, speaking from Parkhill over the long-distance telephone, expressed the opinion that the Progressives had cast their votes largely in favor of the new Minister, but he thought that the increase in the number of ballots cast in his behalf argued well for the future of the Conservative party in the riding. He expressed thanks to the workers, who, he said, had worked ably and tirelessly throughout the campaign.

Premier Pleased

OTTAWA, March 29.—"The result speaks for itself. Comment is unnecessary."

Thus Premier Mackenzie King spoke tonight after the figures of the vote in the West Middlesex election were available.

"It was generally conceded that the contest was a significant one, and the result likely to be so regarded," the Premier added.

The Prime Minister and members of the Cabinet, as well as Liberal supporters in the House of Commons, showed their pleasure when it was announced that Hon. J. C. Elliott, Minister of Labor, had been elected by a big majority.

Right Hon. Arthur Meighen declined to make any statement on the results.

Both Parties Content

(Special to The Colonist)

OTTAWA, March 29.—Both Liberals and Conservatives in the capital claim satisfaction in the result in West Middlesex today, the former because they carried the constituency by a substantial majority, and the latter because they polled forty per cent of the Progressive vote, which taken throughout Canada at the same rate would leave the Liberal party in a hopeless minority.

Conservatives never expected to win this strong Liberal riding; were late in the field, and did not conduct an aggressive campaign. As the result was a foregone conclusion they made but little effort to organize the constituency. The Government had to win and centred all its resources in the constituency. During the last days of the campaign, the Prime Minister and five of his Cabinet colleagues entered the contest.

Conservatives Gain

Of the 3,500 Progressive votes in the last election it is apparent 1,000 went Conservative, 1,500 Liberal and 1,000 did not vote. To have polled such a large percentage of the Progressive vote is satisfactory to the Conservatives, indicating that the Progressive-Liberal union in Parliament does not extend to the electorate.

It is expected James Malcolm, North Bruce, will be sworn into the Cabinet this week as Minister of Trade and Commerce and will seek re-election. He will be opposed by the Conservatives. Last election in a three-cornered contest he won from the Conservatives by 150.

DUNCAN WINS FROM CHEMAINUS TEAM

Nearly One Hundred Points Between Contestants at Badminton Tournament

CHEMAINUS, March 29.—On Saturday evening in the Chemainus Hall a Badminton tournament between the local team and one from Duncan was played off, the visitors winning 294 points against 195 to Chemainus. The scores for the various games follow, Duncan players being mentioned first:

Ladies' Doubles

Mrs. Ancell and Mrs. Purvey defeated Mrs. Pritchard and Mrs. Jarrett 15-5, 12-15, 17-16.

Mrs. Westcott and Mrs. O. T. Smythe defeated Mrs. Adam and Miss McInnes 18-13, 16-17, 17-16.

Men's Doubles

C. R. Purvey and H. M. Ancell defeated A. Howe and A. Stonier 18-16, 18-15.

O. T. Smythe and S. J. Westcott defeated A. E. Craig and H. Dobinson 15-6, 15-8.

Mixed Doubles

Mrs. Ancell and C. R. Purvey defeated Mrs. Pritchard and A. Howe 11-15, 15-1, 15-7.

Mrs. Purvey and H. M. Ancell defeated Miss McInnes and A. Stonier 15-8, 17-16.

Mrs. O. T. Smythe and S. J. Westcott defeated Mrs. Jarrett and A. E. Craig 15-1, 15-6.

Mrs. Westcott and O. T. Smythe defeated Mrs. Adam and H. Dobinson 15-6, 15-8.

Johnny Curley Wins From Harry Corthet In Twenty-Round Go

LONDON, March 29.—Johnny Curley, British featherweight champion and holder of the Lonsdale belt, retained all his honors in a twenty-round fight at the National Sporting Club tonight. He defeated Harry Corthet, of Bethnal Green, the challenger, on points.

ESQUIMALT WILL SEE HOW FAR IT MAY GO IN TAXING TRADERS

Councillor Cox, of Esquimalt, fathered a resolution at the council meeting last evening to the effect that a committee should be appointed to go into the question of levying taxes upon transient traders who might be using the streets of the municipality and contributing no revenues to the district.

Councillor Cox said that he had been looking into the statutes and he found that it was within the power of Esquimalt to collect from these. The committee was named as Councillors Cox, Smith and Pomeroy. They will investigate the legal situation and report.

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Specializing in Chicken Dinners
Will Reopen Monday, April 5 Under New Management
It has been the aim of the proprietor to give something new to the people, and has spared no expense to bring it up to that standard. There are five dining-rooms, all newly renovated throughout, each having its own service. Special attention has been put on the Blue Room, where expense has not been spared to make it the only one of its kind on the Coast.
The management intends to open the house to the public on Saturday, April 3, for their inspection, and to open on the Monday with a carnival night. Good music and novelties will go towards making an enjoyable evening for all those who come out.
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SIR HENRY LUNN Will Speak on THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS
What It Has Done, Is Doing and Hopes to Do.
in ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (Corner of Douglas and Broughton Streets)
At 8 P.M. on TUESDAY, MARCH 30
Doors open at 7:30. Sir Richard Lake will take the chair. Admission free. Collection.

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PICNIC AT Y.M.C.A. WAS GREAT SUCCESS

Representatives of Seven Churches Take Part in Programme—First United Wins by Odd Point

The young people's department indoor picnic held on Saturday night, as part of the programme of the Y.M.C.A. to assist the various churches in the city, proved an unqualified success, both in attendance and entertainment. Representatives of seven churches took part in the lengthy programme, which was given on the indoor picnic style, and competition was exceedingly keen, more than 200 packing the spacious gymnasium at the association's headquarters.

Among the churches represented were Metropolitan United, First United, James Bay United, Centennial United, Christ Church Cathedral, Emmanuel Baptist and St. Andrew's Presbyterian. The First United members, in a spirited battle with the Metropolitan teams, succeeded in winning the various events with a total of 21 against 20.

The Results

The following were the points of the individual churches:

First United, 21; Metropolitan, 20; Centennial, 10; St. Andrew's, 10; Christ Church Cathedral, 9, James Bay United, 7, and Emmanuel Baptist, 4.

The programme of events included drill contests for men and women, mixed relay races, collar and tie races, basketball for men and women, hairdressing contest for men and women, nail driving competitions and auto tire race for men. The scores were five points for first place, three points for second and one point for third.

Sunday Night Concerts Concluded

The weekly Sunday night concerts, which have been held for the last several months, were concluded on Sunday night, when one of the largest audiences of the year was present. A splendid sacred musical programme and community singing was given.

Mr. Cherniavsky to Wed

SAINT JOHN, N.B., March 29.—Alexander Cherniavsky, the famous pianist, arrived here on the Montrose, Sunday, en route to Toronto to marry Miss Ella Freemes, whom he met in Toronto three years ago while fulfilling an engagement there.

Wife and Husband Both Ill With Gas

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At the Playhouses

FLOOD OF EMOTIONS FEATURE BIG FILM

"Ibanez' Torrent," at Capitol This Week Is Most Impressive Production

It takes more than a flood to make a torrent—at last the kind of torrent audiences at the Capitol Theatre are now seeing, in the spectacular new Cosmopolitan production of "Ibanez' Torrent." The torrent is there—a gigantic onrush of water that tears a village up by its foundations and spreads devastation in a mighty thrill—but that is not the real torrent in the story. The torrent, as the author, Vicente Blasco Ibanez, saw it, was in the maelstrom of human emotions that sweep away destinies just as the mighty flood carried material things before it.

The play tells of the life and loves of a Spanish opera star, whose one chance for love is ever snatched away like the cup of Tantalus. Through many cities she triumphs—she has riches and fame—everything but that one thing in life.

Ricardo Cortez plays the hero of the story as a young Spanish statesman, a role far different from his usual Spanish parts in that he is more the conservative—and at the end, when he appears as himself at middle age, the illusion is striking and a revelation of hitherto undreamed of talent on the actor's part. Greta Garbo, the famous Swedish star, is playing her first American role as the opera singer. A gorgeous beauty, she is also an emotional actress of astounding artistry, and her first vehicle assures her a stellar place in American films.

COLISEUM THEATRE The audience which witnessed "Up in Mabel's Room" at the Coliseum Theatre last night was kept guessing through nearly the length of three acts as to how the authors could finally unravel the intricate situations into which the characters had become entangled. But as the authors (Wilson Collison and Otto Harbach) know their job it is certain that they do not leave their characters tied up in the position where they left them until nearly through the third act. Mabel, while going through her intimate possessions, finds a present from a former lover, who is now a respectable married man. He was always respectable, having only had (so Mabel explains) one wicked thought in the whole of his life. Mabel is about quietly to return the gift when, on a sudden naughty impulse, she decides first to have a little fun. And the results are sufficiently surprising to satisfy even the mischievous soul of Mabel. "Up in Mabel's Room" is a remarkably good play and the production is well up to the standard of entertainment set by the present company. Ed. Redmond gets a lot of laughs out of his part as Corliss and Ruth Hamilton gives a lively show as the captivating Mabel, while the rest of the company handle their parts efficiently.

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE The funniest thing yet is "Mr. Johnson of Johnson Street," that's what the members of the large audience at the Playhouse Theatre said last night after they had laughed themselves almost to pieces. This great comedy playlet is assured of a most successful week here, and the Hincks Players carry the various roles in a manner that wins for them high commendation. The explosion of a lighthouse and the burning of an ocean liner at sea are two of the spectacular features of "Why Women Love," the First National film this week on the screen. This is a big double bill of merit and you must see it.

COLUMBIA THEATRE There are probably more genuinely dramatic moments in "When the Door Opened," a new Fox Films production, which had its premiere showing in Victoria at the Columbia Theatre last night, than in any screen drama this season. This perhaps is due to the fact that the picture was adapted from one of James Oliver Curwood's greatest novels, and another reason is no doubt that the film was directed by Reginald Barker, acknowledged a master of big outdoor film productions. It was fortunate that such a capable director was chosen, because the story is worthy of the most skilful handling, and Mr. Barker seems to have caught the spirit of the author most admirably.

$6,000,000 Deal for Northwest Film Houses Completed in Portland

PORTLAND, Ore., March 29.—Jansen and von Herberg circuit of motion picture theatres in Pacific Northwest became the property of North American Theatres Corporation yesterday when final details of a deal were completed here. Negotiations had been extended over a period of four weeks. It was reported that the purchase price was $6,000,000.

Had 43 Boils And Carbuncles At One Time

Mr. Claud Melanson, Castleford, Ont., writes:—"In regard to your remedies I have to say that B.B.B. was the only medicine I could get to relieve me of my boils and carbuncles.

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AMUSEMENTS TOMORROW

The Screen

Capitol—Ibanez' "Torrent."
Columbia — "When the Door Opened."
Dominion—British film "Ypres" ("Wipers").

The Stage

Coliseum — "Up In Mabel's Room."
Playhouse — "Why Women Love."

Best Known Musical Comedy Favorites Play In "No, No, Nanette"

Harry Davis, representing Edward D. Smith, the Los Angeles theatrical producer, is in the city today completing arrangements for the presentation here of the big musical comedy success, "No, No, Nanette," which is to be seen locally after having achieved the most phenomenal success ever credited to a theatrical company, not only in this country, but practically in all parts of the world. The company Mr. Smith is sending here contains many of the best known musical comedy favorites on the American stage and has just broken all records for long runs and the big business in Los Angeles and San Francisco. The music of the opera is tantalizingly tuneful. Two of the song hits are "I want to Be Happy" and "Tea for Two." These tunes have been played around the world. Mr. Davis is particularly anxious that the theatregoers of this city shall know the "No, No, Nanette" organization to be seen here is the same in every detail that have established such wonderful records elsewhere. The local dates are Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 8 to 10, with Saturday matinee.

SIR HENRY LUNN TO ARRIVE HERE TODAY

Emissary of World Peace Will Speak Tonight at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church

Detained in Vancouver last evening in order to carry out a broadcasting programme, Sir Henry Lunn, who was expected to reach Victoria this morning, will not be able to arrive here until this afternoon. He will be met at the boat by representatives of the four organizations under whose auspices he is to speak tonight at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church and tomorrow night at Metropolitan United Church, viz., Sir Richard Lake, president of the local branch of the World Alliance for the Promotion of Friendship Through the Churches; Mr. Averill, secretary of the League of Nations Society; Rt. Rev. Bishop Schofield, who is presiding at tomorrow's meeting; and the Rev. A. K. McMinn, representing the United Churches of Victoria.

It is Sir Henry's usual custom to reserve all his energies for his principal work, and apart from the two meetings he will address here his visit will be a quiet one. It is his first trip through Western Canada. His mission is to promote unity among the churches and to foster world peace.

Highly Exaggerated

"The reports of my millions are highly exaggerated, and also my methods of spending them," Sair Henry said in a recent interview. "I am a small man, financially, compared with many who have undertaken to launch philanthropic ventures of various kinds, but after reading the reports which have been spread about me I begin to suspect myself of being a second Rockefeller.

"As a matter of fact, I hold a very common view, namely, that a man is only the steward of his own property and should expend it to the best advantage of the race. He has to decide on what, to him, is a fair subsistence allowance, and beyond that should turn his property to some good account. I happen to be particularly interested in ecclesiastical matters and have created a trust fund from part of my small fortune to promote such work.

"My wife and family are well provided for and I reserve enough to pay for such trips as this. In addition I want some £500 a year for pocket money and this I have reserved for myself. That is all.

"I'm afraid the American press has been making a sensational story out of me. I should have preferred to make the distribution of my money quietly, but the whole matter came up about the same time as this trip was planned and so it is getting much public attention."

Comedy Presented by Oak Bay Young People

There were enthusiastic audiences at the Memorial Hall to see the farcical three-act comedy, "Safety First," played by the Young People of Oak Bay United Church, on Friday and Saturday evenings.

Each character was extremely well portrayed. The performance of Miss Letitia McCawett as an Irish cook was very amusing and natural; Jack Montgomery's wife was convincingly played by Miss Ethel Shaw; the comedy element was well sustained by Mr. Ellis Todd as Jerry Arnold, an unsuccessful "fixer"; and Mr. J. F. Aberdeen as Jack Montgomery, a young husband. Zuleika, a tender Turkish maiden, and Elmer Flannel, a college student, as lovers, was well played by Miss Dorothy Clarke and Mr. William Gelling. Miss Marion Morrison as Mrs. Barrington-Bridger, made a most charming society lady, and Virginia Bridger, Mabel's sister, was well played by Miss Frances Cottet. Mr. Ian Donaldson's thirst for revenge in the part of Abou Ben Mocha, a Turk, was most realistic, and Mr. Jack Gelling as Mr. McNutt was "a hard nut to crack."

Mr. F. J. Willway made a painstaking and successful managing director, and Miss Estelle Clarke was in charge of the musical part of the play.

"How are you, Brown?"
"Oh, awful. Nothing but work, work, work. I'm fed up with it!"
"When did you start the job?"
"I'm beginning next week."

COMPROMISED ART MARVEL OF "YPRES"

FIENDISH SCENES OF HORRIBLE WAR ARE TONED DOWN FOR PUBLIC PRESENTATION

Inartistic Government Films Merged With Studio Art to Depict Warfare in Salient

The least that can be said in praise of the British film production "Ypres" is that it is a marvelous piece of compromise between art and the inartistic portrayal of modern warfare in all its morbidness, touched here and there with phases of humor which, without the introduction of a background of tragedy, would lose the desired effect. This film, which is now showing at the Dominion Theatre was given a patriotic and enthusiastic reception by the large audience last night.

The opening scene is of the first battle of Ypres, with the loss and recapture of Gheluvelt, and the subsequent capturing of Hill 60. Terrific onslaughts and individual heroisms are finely depicted, while the second battle of Ypres, in which the Germans introduced poison gas to the Western Front will long be remembered. Then came scenes of trench raids instigated to undermine the morale of the German troops.

Throughout the picture, which was primarily produced for appearance in English theatres, Canada, Australia, New Zealand and other British Dominions, the Canadian troops come in for a great share of the honors, and a significant thing about the entire production was the many scenes depicting heroism of Canadian troops, privates, N.C.O's and officers.

The scenes depicting twenty Canadians sent to capture a spur to a bridge leading into Passchendaele was one of the chief features of the production.

The second capture of Passchendaele was the concluding scene of the picture, and there was not a person in the theatre who did not feel patriotic emotion for the part the entire British Empire took as the troops gazed for the first time on captured territory they had not seen before. "Ypres" is the counterpart of "Zeebrugge" which depicted the naval warfare during the Great War.

BAND CONCERT AT GARDEN TONIGHT

Tonight at the Crystal Garden the usual tourist concert will be held at 8:15 o'clock by the 16th Canadian Scottish, through the kindness of the commanding officer. Following the concert dancing will take place at 9.45 o'clock. The programme is as follows:

March, "National Emblem" (Bagley); selection, "Furs and Frills" (Hein); valse, "Unrequited Love" (Lincke); fox trot, "Sonya" (Schafer-Fisher); Neopolitan Serenade, "O Sole Mio" (Capua); fox trot, "Cecilia" (Ruby-Dreyer); valse, "Comedie d'Amour" (Colin); fox trot, "Sleepy-Time Gal" (Lorenzo); march, "The Canadian Legion" (Bidgood).

SPECIALIST PRAISES ISLAND FOR FOXES

Mr. W. L. MacEachern, Leader in Prince Edward Island Fur Industry, Is on Visit Here

"The climate of Vancouver Island appears to be ideally constituted for fox farming, having sufficient moisture to give that texture to the fur so desired in the pelt," said Mr. W. L. MacEachern, of Prince Edward Island, one of the successful fur farmers of the island, who is registered at the Dominion Hotel.

Mr. MacEachern, whose farm is situate in Queen's County, near Charlottetown, where he has been in this line of business for about fifteen years, has an extensive connection with furriers in England, France, Norway and the United States. His last stock was marketed in Norway, that country refusing admission to live foxes from any other country than Prince Edward Island, owing to prevalence of hoof and mouth disease.

He now stocks sixty-five pairs of silvers, his animals averaging 150 per cent increase annually. The average price paid is $600 a pair.

Mr. MacEachern has a farm to rear foxes in England, and is doing well there. He thinks that Vancouver Island should do well both for silvers and Alaskan blues. He was favorably impressed with foxes from Prince Edward Island which he inspected yesterday, at a local fur farmer's premises, and expects to see other fur farms while in Victoria. After an extended tour through the United States, he is now homebound.

Yaqui Tribal Dance

TUCSON, Ariz., March 29.—An odd mixture of pagan and Christian rituals was combined when Yaqui Indians of the villages north and south of Tucson yesterday began their annual tribal dances which will reach their climax during the last days of Holy Week.

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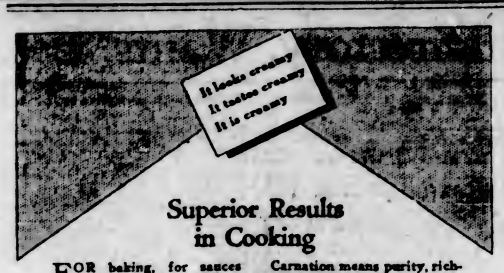
Polish-Rumanian Pact

WARSAW, Poland, March 29.—Substituting the Polish-Rumanian alliance signed March, 1921, which expired this year, there has been signed at Bucharest a treaty of mutual guarantees between Poland and Rumania. The treaty, which will run for fifty years, is in line with Article 19 of the League of Nations covenant which stipulates that League members undertake to "respect and preserve as against external aggression the existing territorial integrity and political independence of all members."



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It drives the poisonous waste from the joints and muscles—that's the secret of Rheuma's success.

But we don't ask you to take our word for it; go to Vancouver Drug Co., or any druggist, and get a bottle of Rheuma today. If it doesn't do as we promise, get your money back. It will be there waiting for you. (Advt.)

Quadra Decision Yet To Be Handed Down

VANCOUVER, March 29.—Although Rev. Thomas Filben, president of the California Law Enforcement League, announced at San Francisco that he had information that the United States supreme court had affirmed the conviction of the Vancouver liquor steamer Quadra, telegraphic advices from Washington, D.C., to C. S. Arnold, solicitor here for the Quadra's owners, are that the report is "totally unfounded and incorrect. Case will be dealt with on April 12 and decision handed down."

There are twenty-three universities in Canada, six being state controlled.

SMELTERS' PROFITS EXCEED 11 MILLION

SHOWING IS EQUIVALENT TO 88.4 PER CENT OF CAPITAL OF COMPANY

Sales of Smelter Products Bring in More Than $28,000,000—Earnings Exceed $33,000,000

MONTREAL, March 29.—The annual financial statement of Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company of Canada, Ltd., for 1925, shows net profits of $11,215,316, or nearly $1,150,000 above the highest of recent estimates. This showing is equivalent to 88.4 per cent on the capital of the company, as shown in the balance sheet at $12,675,300. On the 507,012 shares of $25 par value capital stock outstanding, the showing is equal to $22.13 a share. This compares with 30.1 per cent, or $7.53 a share in 1924 and 15.9 per cent or $3.98 a share in 1923.

Cash Position Up

In the statement which was issued Saturday the cash position is more than $6,000,000, while net working capital is up more than $5,500,000 to more than 8,000,000. More than $3,500,000 were expended during the year on capital account, and over $750,000 was distributed among shareholders. Taxes were paid to the extent of nearly $2,500,000. Reserves were added by nearly $1,500,000, exclusive of depreciation and depletion, and surplus was increased nearly $3,000,000.

Sales of smelter products, ore, etc., amounted to $28,562,065 as compared with $14,377,308. Ores, metals and smelter product on hand and in transit showed a moderate increase of less than $300,000 at $5,009,939, while revenue from investments, royalties, rents and sundry revenue was $94,196, as against $25,317, bringing total earnings to $33,666,201, as compared with $19,103,094. All charges were higher, including those for depletion and depreciation, which totalled more than $1,645,000. Two new reserves are set up, a pension fund reserve of $200,000 and a contingent reserve of $1,000,000, while more than $160,000 was added to fire insurance reserve. Surplus account was further reduced by charging against it additions to property of $3,560,793.

Notwithstanding these extraordinary charges, surplus stands at $8,723,974, compared with $5,742,155.

Total assets increased nearly nine millions during the year, being shown at $35,213,061, as compared with $26,244,194. The most notable change was in the company's investments in gilt-edged bonds, which rose to $5,021,511, being shown at cost, from $77,045. Cash is up to $1,152,382 from $228,286.

The disappearance of nearly $1,000,000 of funded debt and the increase of nearly $2,000,000 incapital stock at $12,675,300 are among the outstanding changes in the liabilities side. The special loan of $1,000,000 also has disappeared, the only current liabilities being trade accounts payable, dividends payable and taxes reserved for.

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DOLLY VARDEN MINE MAY BECOME ACTIVE

Mr. E. A. Haggen Says Col. Victor Spencer and Associates Will Test Property at Early Date

An energetic campaign of development work in the way of diamond drilling and tunneling will be started in May on the Dolly Varden mine by Col. Spencer and associates and if the result of that work is satisfactory a mill will be installed and the property put on a producing basis, according to Mr. E. A. Haggen, president of Mining & Engineering Record of Vancouver, who was a visitor to Alice Arm recently.

Col. Spencer and his associates have acquired the property under lease and it is their intention to prove once and for all if further development of the famous mine is warranted. Last year, on their behalf, the property was examined by Mr. J. F. Tener, a consulting engineer, and it is understood work now is to be undertaken as a result of his recommendations.

Mr. Haggen states that the Dolly Varden railway is being put in shape by the Government for use as a thoroughfare to the Kitsault River mining district. It is Mr. Haggen's belief that the railway will not again be operated by any one single mining company but that it will fall into the hands of the Government to maintain as a public highway.

BARRACKS MAY NOT REQUEST FIRE FORCES

Esquimalt Will Not Be Responsible for Payment of Charges Unless Officials Issue Request

The Esquimalt Council will not be responsible for payment to the city fire department for any calls made upon that body by other than the reeve or the chief of police. This matter came up last night on a suggestion from the city that included in the list of those who might properly call upon the fire brigade should be the officer of the day on duty at Work Point Barracks.

The Council will not consent to the barracks having the authority to call upon the department. If the city brigade is needed at Work Point Barracks it must be called for by the reeve or the chief of police. Reeve Matheson said he was utterly opposed to giving authority to the barracks. By allowing this course the municipality might be put to $250 expense at any time.

Councillor Cox said that in view of the fact that the municipality got nothing in taxes from Work Point Barracks, this question of sharing in the cost should be taken up with the department at Ottawa to see if some contribution could not be obtained from the department to aid the municipality.

On motion of Councillor Pomeroy it was decided to inform the city of Victoria that no change would be made in the method adopted for calling for aid in case of fire.

The question of what services are rendered the barracks by the municipality will be gone into with the object in view that Ottawa may be asked to make a grant to cover them.

COAST EXPERIENCING SUMMERLIKE WEATHER

In Victoria Yesterday Mercury Rose to 57, While Manitoba Shivers With 2 Below

Yesterday's summery weather in Victoria, where the mercury rose at its maximum shade point to fifty-seven degrees, calls attention to the prevailing June-like weather all over the Pacific Coast. At Vancouver the maximum temperature during the day was sixty-two; at Kamloops, sixty-four; out on the West Coast of Vancouver Island, sixty; while at Portland and San Francisco the thermometer registered seventy-four and seventy-six respectively at the warmest period of the day. Even in the Yukon, which all this Winter has experienced exceptionally mild weather, forty-four degrees was recorded yesterday.

"All weather reports received here by radio from the sea, or from different weather stations on land, indicate that fine conditions are likely to prevail here, and that perhaps even higher temperatures may be experienced along the Coast to the south," reported Director Napier Denison of the Meteorological Bureau, Gonzales Heights, last evening.

While the West Coast is enjoying such delightful climate, people east of the Rockies are suffering from typical Winter conditions, two below zero being reported from Manitoba yesterday.

Three Outstanding Improvements in Balloon Tires

The most advanced and important improvements that have been made in tires during the past five years are represented in Dominion Royal Cord Balloon Tires. These outstanding improvements are:

First— *LATEX-TREATED WEB CORDS*—eliminating internal friction and heat.

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ESQUIMALT MEMORIAL SUBSCRIPTION LIST

Many Donations Already Received For War Memorial to Be Placed in Park

The Esquimalt War Memorial Committee is receiving satisfactory reports regarding donations and great interest is being taken in the erection of the proposed memorial. The site set apart for its erection is the public park and children's playground and the committee is seeking the formal sanction of the Reeve and Council. The following donations have been received and grateful thanks are tendered to the public for its generous response: Amount previously acknowledged: $1,299.80; Brown's Nurseries, $5; Mrs. Cummins, $2; Mrs. Rankin, $1; Mrs. Dunsmuir, $50; J. E. Day, $25; Miss Meyer, $5; Esquimalt Scottish Daughters, $10; A. Dawes, $1; Scott's Grocery, $3; Thorne's Shoe Store, $2; A Friend, $2; B.C. Electric Railway Co., $50; Army and Navy Veterans, $10; Order of Eastern Star, $5; R. H. Pooley, M.P.P., $25; B.C. Cement Co., $50; Scott & Peden, $5; Hoyle-Brown, Ltd., $2; Mr. Puller, $1; E. Ord, $1; Mrs. Acreman, $1; R. Macnicol, $1; Northwest Creamery, $1; T. Kensington, Halifax, N.S., $2; Anonymous, $5; Golden West Bakery, $20; Shelly's Bakery, $20; Rennie & Taylor, $20; Dr. Bapley, $2; Mrs. Johnson, $1; Mrs. Webster, $1; Mrs. Hale, $1; Mrs. Purdy, jr., $1; small donations, $7; total, $1,637.80.

In addition to the above, $350 has been promised and is to be collected.

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PURE THREAD SILK

In new Paris shades. Smart and trim fitting. Run stop at hem. Merc. hemmed top. $1.50

Headlong Dive of The Franc Continues

PARIS, March 29.—The franc dropped again today, touching for a moment the new low record of 29.51 to the dollar. It improved later, however, and it closed at 29.30, which is better than Saturday's final quotation.

A man doesn't mind being abused because of his great wealth.

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Death and Funeral Notices, $1.50 first insertion, $1.00 for each additional insertion.

Marriages, Card of Thanks and In Memoriam Notices, $1.50 per insertion.

Birth Notices, $1.50 per insertion.

Business or Professional Cards of four lines or under, $5.00 per month. Additional space at $1.25 per line per month.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

BIRTHS

LAKE—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, to Captain and Mrs. Fred McDonald Lake, March 29, a daughter.

WHITFIELD—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Whitfield, March 28, a daughter.

DEATHS

BROOKS—In this city, on Saturday, March 27, Ellen Brooks, aged sixty-three years, of 2838 Shakespeare Street.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon, from the family residence to Oaklands Chapel Hall, corner of Hillside Avenue and Cedar Hill Road, where services will be held at 2:30 o'clock. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

(Friends kindly omit flowers.)

FUNERAL NOTICE

Members of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, Aerie No. 12, are requested to attend the funeral of our late brother, W. J. Bishop, from the Sands Funeral Parlors, Wednesday, March 31, at 3:30 p.m.

F. LeROY, W. Pres.
W. W. LAING, Secy.

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STEWART'S MONUMENTAL WORKS, LIMITED. Office and yard, corner May and Alberta Streets, near Cemetery. Phone 6813.

COMING EVENTS 1

ATTENTION! Don't forget Standard Steam Laundry Dance, Harmony Hall, Fort St., Thursday, April 1, 9-1. Snappy music. Everybody welcome. Refreshments. Ladies 25c, gents 50c.

ANNUAL dance, Colonist Ice Hockey Club, Alexandra Club, Wednesday, March 31, 1926. Pindler's five-piece orchestra. Dancing 9 to 1. Admission $1, including supper. Tickets may be obtained at Colonist office and all members.

COME and hear the new 5-piece orchestra, The Columbians, on Wednesday, March 31, at 8.30, Conservatives Rooms, Campbell Building. Admission 25c. All welcome.

CAPE SOCIAL Club dance, Empress Hotel, Thursday, April 1.

CITY and Commercial Bowling League—Annual banquet and dance, on Tuesday, April 9, Chamber of Commerce Auditorium. Dancing from 8 to 1. Admission to dance 50c. Tickets on sale at Wilcox Hat Store, Yates Street.

DANCE and social, Harmony Hall, Fort St., Tuesday, March 30, 8-30 p.m. 9-piece orchestra. Come and have a good time. 35 cents.

EXTRA!—Tuberculosis Veterans' Association—Annual ball, under the distinguished patronage of Lieutenant-Governor Hon. R. Randolph Bruce, Alexandra Hall, Monday, March 22. Dancing 9 to 1. Hunt's five-piece orchestra. Tickets, gentlemen $1, ladies 75c including supper.

GRAND Dokey frolic and dance next Thursday night at K. of P. Hall, North Park Street. Frolic 8 to 12, with many new stunts and games. Dancing from 9:30 to 1. Charlie Hunt's 4-piece orchestra. Admission, 50c.

SONS of Canada—Military 500 and dance, Tuesday evening, 8:30; good prizes for cards; four-piece orchestra for the dance. Everybody welcome. Admission 25c.

THE St. Andrews and Caledonian Society is holding a dance in the A.O.F. Hall on Tuesday, 30th inst., at 9:30 p.m. Admission tickets, 50c, ladies, 25c. Pindler's orchestra. Refreshments. Everybody welcome.

WHIST drive, K. of P. Hall, North Park Street, Wednesday, 8:30. Good prizes. 25c. Meeting at 7:45.

WANTED—MALE HELP 2

BOY wanted for shop, handy with tools. Apply Box 346, Colonist.

DRUG apprentice wanted — Must have passed matriculation. Apply in own handwriting. Must have bicycle. Box 776, Colonist.

EXPERIENCED gardener, with knowledge of flowers, willing to be generally useful; single man preferred. Apply Box 861, Colonist.

ENGINEERS coached for certificates. W. L. Winterburn, 221 Central Building.

WANTED—MALE HELP 2 (Continued)

FOUR salesmen, Vancouver Island, good chances for advancement and permanent connection with large Eastern corporation. Producers can be assured splendid weekly income. Box 788, Colonist.

MEN wanted, to learn auto tractor engineering. Write or call. Hemphill's Auto Engineering School, 10 Hastings St. E., Vancouver, B.C.

MAN to log by contract, or take charge of woods, donkey and equipment now on ground. Apply Box 823, Colonist, or phone 1458R.

WANTED—Handy reliable man to give two and a half hours' service per working day in gardens and care for fruit, in exchange for board. Box 810, Colonist. Phone 1274R.

WANTED — Future artists and amateurs for "Future Artists' Night" every Thursday at Playhouse. Six prizes: 1st, $5.00. Apply E. Impett, phone 6258R, or Playhouse manager.

WANTED—Motor Mechanics and Motor Boat Engineers. Experience not necessary if you are willing to learn at the Training Institute of the Motor Industry. High-grade modern cars enable pupils to drive and repair any car on completion. Unlimited training until proficient. One inclusive Fee. Free introduction to positions; special facilities for car owners and ladies. INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING, 610 View Street, Victoria.

WANTED—First-class automobile painter. Apply Wm. Mable, 717 Johnson St.

WANTED—Capable youth to hard cows and do chores around dairy. Apply 1353 McNair Street.

WANTED—Strong boy. Apply Standard Steam Laundry, 841 View Street.

FEMALE HELP WANTED 3

LADY help with housework and children, temporary or permanent. Mrs. Garrard, Tod Inlet P.O.

LADY help for small family (2 children). Mrs. Anketell-Jones, Chemainus, B.C.

LADIES wanted to learn beauty culture, under the Molar System of Beauty Culture. We pay you while learning. Write or call, 10 Hastings St. E., Vancouver, B.C.

LADIES, sell what every woman needs. Make $40 weekly. Send stamp for free sample offer. Canadian Home Specialty Co., 249 Selkirk, Winnipeg.

LADY help for small family (2 children). Mrs. E. Anketell-Jones, Chemainus, B.C.

NURSES—Pupil, diploma in two years, board, laundry, cash allowance provided. Chicago Hospital, 811 E. 42th St., Chicago, Ill.

SPROTT-SHAW School and Rocklands Academy, affiliated Courses Commercial, Secretarial, Wireless, Preparatory, Collegiate, etc. Day and evening classes. Phone 28 for prospectus.

WANTED, by end of April, English women to work indoors and outdoors on small goat ranch. Must be good milker, early riser and not afraid of work. Miss Payne, Sidney, V.I.

WANTED—Future artists and amateurs for "Future Artists' Night" every Thursday, at Playhouse. Six prizes 1st, $5.00. Apply E. Impett, phone 9275R, or Playhouse manager.

WANTED—Girl as mother's help, good home. Phone 2153R.

WANTED—Power machine operator, must be strong and experienced on running power machines. F. Jeuns & Bro., Ltd.

WANTED—Waitress for hotel close to Victoria; good wages, steady employment. Apply, between 9 and 10 a.m. Tuesday and Wednesday only, at Room 307 Stobart Building, 749 Yates St.

WANTED—Lady as nursery governess to one little girl. Box 926, Colonist.

WANTED—Young lady demonstrator for Home Products Fair week of April 12; 17 afternoons and evenings. Answer, stating experience, if any, to Box 936, Colonist.

WANTED—Capable daily cook-general. Box 849, Colonist.

WANTED—Capable experienced cook-general, $75 to $40. Box 858, Colonist.

WANTED at once, good housekeeper, plain cook, for small family, comfortable home. Phone 74601J.

WE are now enrolling students for our Winter class in hairdressing and allied subjects. Particulars at 724 Hayward Building. Phone 3590.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE 4

ALL-ROUND carpenter wants work, day or contract. Phone 2185fl.

A VERY capable office man desires position. Phone 7751L2.

DRAPERY expert, experienced in furniture and carpets, real business getter, 35 years English and Canadian experience. Box 121, Colonist.

FOR house repairs, alterations, garages, store and office fittings, try Smith, 4731R.

GARDENS dug and planted by young man, under owner's supervision, 75c per hour. Edwards, 6258L.

GARDENING—Have all your work done by highly qualified and practical men. It pays. We are horticultural experts and give you every satisfaction at reasonable charges. Now is the time to prune your trees and prepare your land. Phone 5675L.

IF you want a carpenter, phone secretary of local union, 7818L.

LAWNS and tennis courts laid down, finest of grass seed sown. Gardens designed. Phone 7294L.

TREE surgery, topping, dangerous trees removed, clearing, blasting. Phone 5522L1.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE 5

GIRL would like position as mother's helper or other light housework fond of children. Phone 2378X.

LADY would accompany adult or children to England in return for fare. Box 701, Colonist.

NURSE housekeeper where help is kept, care of invalid infant or children. Phone Lloyd 1459U or Box 927 Colonist.

STENOGRAPHER and bookkeeper, five years banking experience, desires position. Box 702, Colonist.

WANTED—Housework by day or half day, also Spring cleaning. Phone 5265L.

EDUCATIONAL 6

B.C. DRAMATIC SCHOOL, Victoria and Vancouver. L. Bullock-Webster, Elocution, public speaking class and dramatic work. Phone 4801R.

EXPERT tuition in ancient and modern languages, examination requirements a specialty. Box 329, Colonist.

VICTORIA SCHOOL OF EXPRESSION. MRS. WILFRID ORD. Pupils coached for B.C. Festival. Gold medal woo 1925. 1719 Fairfield Road. Phone 4512Y.

SPROTT-SHAW School and Rocklands Academy, affiliated. Courses Commercial, Secretarial, Wireless, Preparatory, Collegiate, etc. Day and evening classes. Phone 28 for prospectus.

SHORTHAND SCHOOL, 1011 Government Street. Business subjects. Thorough tuition. E. A. MacMillan, principal. Phone 574.

TIME backward and neglected tutored. A. 301 B.C. Permanent Loan Bldg.

MUSIC 7

BANJO, MANDOLIN, GUITAR and all stringed instruments taught by W. H. Plowright, 1114 Broad Street. Phone 1466. Res. phone 1117Y. Hours, 1 to a p.m., except Saturdays.

LEARN the ukulele by a professional. Paul Dix, phone 5574. Waltz, fox trot and fancy strokes. 911 Vancouver St.

VIOLIN

ERNEST SEMPLE, violinist and teacher. Phones Studio 7947 and Res. 2146.

CELLO

FRANK BALAGNO, 'cellist and teacher. Studio, 816 Princess Ave. Phone 6266R.

SINGING

MARY McCOY JAMESON, teacher of the art of singing. Studio, Room 9 Mahon Building, 1114 Government Street.

PIANO

ADAM BOYD, Piano Studio, 1269 Yates. $4.50 per month. Home visited. Phone 6237L.

CHRIS WADE, piano and theory, elementary and advanced pupils. Phone 6718L.

MRS. E. SEMPLE, teacher of piano. Phone: Res. 2139, Studio 2041.

PIANO lessons for beginners (children). Class method, $1 monthly. Box 2, Colonist.

TO EXCHANGE 8

FOR Sale or Exchange—Tractor, suitable for lumber or general hauling. Pimbury's Garage.

STUCCO 4-room pretty bungalow for launch or good car. Close to city centre, we offer this fully modern stucco 4-room bungalow complete with every convenience, in part trade for good car or motor launch.

PORT Angeles for Victoria—We have a fully modern 4-room bungalow close in to city centre in Port Angeles, value $1,700, owner will trade for good Victoria bungalow. Full particulars

VICTORIA REALTY COMPANY
616 View St. Phone 3036
"Reliable Realtors"

WILL trade good building lot in Saanich for an old Ford. Box 883, Colonist.

WILL exchange, for house in Vancouver, desirable home on good residential street, Victoria. 7 rooms, hardwood floors, fireplace, garage; clear title. Box 623, Colonist.

10 ACRE apple orchard on Arrow Lake for house in Victoria. Phone 2254Y.

$1000 FOR 4-acre block, 6-mile circle. Good home site. Owner would trade on small place.

$3000 FOR 4-roomed bungalow, with sleeping porch, basement. Would trade on James Bay property.

$6000 FOR 160-acre farm up-Island. 7 acres cleared. Good 5-roomed cottage, modern. Water piped to house, orchard. Owner would consider trade on house in city or acreage and some cash.

F. F. HIGGS
508 Pemberton Building

$1250 FOR 3 acre, near Comox, 4-room house, fireplace and built-in cupboards, chicken houses, brooder house; splendid view. House alone would cost more than price asked. Owner would consider trade for home in or near Victoria. F. F. Higgs, 508 Pemberton Bldg. (Many other trades to pick from.)

$7300—VERY fine waterfront property near Victoria; 6 acres good land; splendid water system. Owner would consider modern house in city and reasonable terms on balance. Full particulars from F. F. Higgs, 508 Pemberton Bldg.

DRESSMAKING 9

DRESSMAKING, coats and suits. Marie Thompson, 5 Linden Apartments. Phone 6686L.

DRESSMAKING, also cutting and fitting. Miss Doidge, 1464 May St.

DRESSMAKING, blouses, kimonos and alterations promptly done. Room 13, 727½ Yates Street.

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LADIES' hats made, stylish and reasonable. Mrs. A. M. Perry, Phone 6671L.

MISCELLANEOUS 10

ALL your trash will bring you cash, such as rags, bottles, also tools, stoves, furniture, or anything else. We call anywhere and pay best prices. Phone 9136.

ANYTHING in house repairs. Roofs repaired and tarred. Work guaranteed. Estimates free. Phones 7278, 3249L.

AT $1.00—Lawn mowers ground, collected, delivered. Phone 2540. Dandridge Machinist.

AWL-WOVERS sharpened, repaired collected; work guaranteed. Carver & Son, 637 Fort. Phone 419.

PRINTING, rubber stamps and seals. Phone 190. Sweeney, McConnell, Ltd., 1312 Langley Street.

PAINTING, paperhanging and kalsomining. F. H. Rees. Phone 4312.

SAWS, all kinds, filed, set, gummed, etc. Pease Wright, 1010 Douglas Street.

SPRING CLEANING — Floors washed, carpets swept, windows cleaned. J. V. Carroll, 2319 McNair. Phone 2458X.

THOS. PIMLBEY, Ltd., for guaranteed used cars and trucks. Liberal terms. Phone 687.

WIRE fencing and general contracting. Jones & Hunt, Ltd., 923 Cormorant Street.

TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS 11

FINE piano to rent, $5 monthly. 1817 Quadra Street.

TO Let—Grass tennis court for the season, also a garage. Apply 1403 Rockland Avenue, or phone 6158R.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS 13

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

A PIANO for sale, no reasonable offer refused. Phone 2331L.

AEOLIAN VOCALION gramophone (cost $375 new) and $200 worth of first-class records, $250. Also an upright cabinet grand piano, in mahogany case, $295. Apply Box 7276, Colonist.

CELLO, fine tone, snap for quick sale, $70. Phone 5459R.

CORNET, trumpet model, by Conn. $45. Complete set drum and traps, including harpaphone, $175. Hickling, 741 Pandora.

CABINET Victrola, walnut case, just like new, 50 good records, the lot, $90. Island Exchange, 739 Fort Street.

FOR Sale—Piano, Martin Orme upright grand in good condition. Bargain at $525. Phone Colquitz 561, or Box 906, Colonist.

FOR Sale—Upright Weber piano, perfect condition. Phone 5957R2.

GRAMOPHONE, 12 records and record cabinet all for $15. British Furniture Mart, 746-747 Fort Street.

TWO violins and bows for sale cheap for cash. 1114 Johnson Street.

WELL KEPT upright piano, lovely tone, $12 cash $7 monthly; price $175. 1817 Quadra Street.

FURNITURE

AXMINSTER rug, 9 ft. x 12 ft., pretty design and in A1 condition, a good buy, $24. Island Exchange, 739 Fort Street.

BRASS bed, coil, spring and all felt mattress, just like new, cheap, $27.50. Island Exchange, 739 Fort Street.

BABY'S W.E. crib, drop side, splendid condition, also chair. Phone 5482L.

BARGAIN—Fine Wilton carpet, 2x3, in good condition, only $25. Oddy's, 1912 Douglas Street.

CONGOLEUM rug, size 9x10.6, $16.50. British Furniture Mart, 745-747 Fort St.

CARPETS, every description, guaranteed clean and sterilized. Largest stock in city. See ours before purchasing. Island Window and Carpet Cleaning Co., 917 Fort Street. Phone 2815.

DARK oak combination writing desk and bookcase, new open box fir. Ford delivery also 1,000 ft. of 1 x 6 lumber, for sale or trade. Phone 2724.

ENGLISH wardrobe, inlaid mahogany, $59. British Furniture Mart, 745-747 Fort Street.

FOR Sale—Complete furnishings of bungalow. Three days only. No dealers. Apply 1569 Camosun St., mornings.

FUMED oak player-piano, a real good buy at $390. British Furniture Mart, 745-747 Fort Street.

GRANDFATHER'S clock, 200 years old, in good going order, for $85. British Furniture Mart, 745-747 Fort St.

LARGE Chesterfield suite, practically new, reasonable price. Phone 5311R2.

LARGE wardrobe, strongly built, with 4 drawer in good condition, bargain, $19.50. Island Exchange, 739 Fort Street.

LARGE chest of 7 drawers, very useful, in good order, only $12.50. Island Exchange, 739 Fort Street.

QUARTERED oak round extension dining table, for $45. British Furniture Mart, 745-747 Fort Street.

SOLID oak dining suite, exceptional quality portieres and table cover. Suite 3, 1277 Oscar Street. Phone 5368L.

SNAP—Dandy bed lounge, upholstered in velour, in A1 condition, only $15.75. Oddy's, 1912 Douglas Street.

THREE-PIECE mahogany parlor suite, a very chic suite at $42. British Furniture Mart, 745-747 Fort Street.

UPHOLSTERED settee and chair for $19.50. British Furniture Mart, 745-747 Fort Street.

WHITE enamel three-quarter bed, complete, almost new. Phone 5924Y.

RADIO

RADIO 4-tube, loudspeaker and batteries. Apply 2615 Fernwood Road.

MISCELLANEOUS

ASTERS, PERENNIALS—Arabus double, Agnelgia, Alyssum yellow, Canterbury Bells, Coreopsis, Gypsophila, Hollyhocks double, Pentstemons mixed, Polyanthus mixed, all $1 per dozen. Climbing roses, Dr. Van Fleet, an American Pillar, from 40c to 75c each. Dahlia bulbs from 35c to 75c per dozen. Dahlias from $3 per dozen. Arthur Stewart, R.M.D. 4, Victoria. Phone 1178L.

To Out-of-Town Subscribers

Out-of-town subscribers who wish to answer advertisements in which only the telephone number of the advertiser is given, may mail their replies to The Colonist, and The Colonist will communicate such replies to the advertiser.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS 13 (Continued)

ALL makes sewing machines and phonographs repaired. 714 Yates. Phone 842.

ALL black soil and manure, delivered, ploughing, harrowing, excavating, general teaming. H. Vye, 1946 King's Road. Phone 168.

ATTENTION! Mac has got his garden equipment for sale. 1413 Store St.

A BARGAIN!—Winston's Encyclopaedia, ten volumes, late edition, as good as new; cost $84, price for cash, $30. Call at 24 Winch Bldg., City.

A COMPLETE selection of Butchart's Seeds is obtainable at Pacific Feed Company, 618-622 Cormorant Street, opposite City Hall.

BABY Carriage Exchange, 942 Fort St. Phone 4615R2. English carriages from $15. Latest low body styles, $30. Repairs of all kinds.

BLACK soil and manure delivered; general teaming done. Phone 7450L2. J. McGee.

BOOKS! Books! Books! Thousands to select from at British Furniture Mart, 745-747 Fort Street.

BABY Carriage Exchange, 942 Fort St. Phone 4615R2. English carriages from $15. Latest low body styles, $30. Repairs of all kinds.

CAMERA, Rose-Panros, high class, postcard size, 9.3 and tele-photo lenses, focal plane shutter, new condition, suitable for naturalist and general work, bargain price. E. Fleming, 1006 Government Street.

ENGLISH baby carriage, like new, cost $60. Snap, $20. Phone 4615R2.

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ELECTRIC sewing machine (used), sacrifice price. 718 Yates.

FOR Sale—Wayne 1-gallon gas pump and 500-gallon tank, very little used. J. Anderson, Box 3, Duncan.

FOR Sale—1 almost new low down toilet, $16 complete; 2 heavy Duplex enamelled copper bath, $16. Apply Box 837, Colonist.

FOR Sale—Gurney-Oxford range, gas oven attached, polished top. Cheap. Southall, 752 Fort. Phone 4249.

FOR Sale—Fullflor garden tractor and implements. 734 Johnson Street.

FOR Sale—A McClary gas range, almost new. Phone 2359R.

FOR Sale—Good donkey engine, 19 x 11 compound yarder, excellent condition, tools, etc., complete, ready for loading on scow. Address owner, Box 786, Colonist.

FOR Sale—High-grade chokerman, 12 gauge, D.B., hammerless, $45; radio, complete, one-tube, $17.50; radio, 6-tube, complete with loud speaker, $45; microscope, $9.75; mandolin and case, $6.75; genuine prismatic glasses, $27.50; 21-jewel Waltham watches, $27.50; Dunlop outer tires, new, $2; inner tubes, $1; boy's bicycle, $9.75; gent's Perfect bicycle, $19.50; gold-filled spectacles to fit any sight, $1.75. Jacob Aaronson's New and Second-Hand Store, 561 Johnson Street (4 doors below Government Street). Phone 755.

FURNACES and ranges repaired by experts. B.C. Hardware, 719 Fort Street.

GOOD lawn roller for sale cheap. 1755 Foul Bay Rd.

GREGG shorthand and touch typewriting books, complete set, almost new, very cheap for immediate sale. 1681 Fort Street.

GOAT'S milk delivered. Phone 7714R, after 5, evenings.

LAWNMOWERS sharpened, repaired, collected. Work guaranteed. Carver & Son, 637 Fort. Phone 419.

LAXTON'S strawberries—A few dozen runners for sale ("Majestic," "The Duke"), Laxton's Omega, Laxton's Abundance, Sir Douglas Haig, King George, International, 50c dozen. Phone 4835L2.

LAMINEX—Cost no more than ordinary doors; will not shrink, swell or warp. Lumber, windows, doors, large stock, quick delivery, correspondence invited. The Moore-Whittington Lumber Co., Ltd., Victoria, B.C. Phones 2637 and 238.

MALLEABLE steel range, $2 per week. Phone 4649. 715 Pandora, removed from 1424 Douglas Street.

GET READY FOR THE SPRING

ORDER now for immediate or later delivery. We have everything for orchard or garden, fruit trees, roses, rhododendrons, sealeas, etc., etc.

Public Market and 939 Fort St.

LAYRITZ NURSERIES, LTD.
Victoria, B.C. Colquitz 12R.

PORTRAIT and picture framing, reasonably priced. 718 Yates.

SECTIONAL chicken house, almost new, $15, bargain. Phone 1813L.

RANGES sold, repaired, traded, moved, connected, coils made. Southall, 752 Fort Street.

REDUCED PRICES FOR MILLWORK
Sash, Glass, Frames, Shingles, Mine, Drawers, Breakfast Nooks, Hotbed Sash, $2.75 up.
Estimates Free. Prompt Delivery.

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WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS 14

ABSOLUTELY HIGHEST PRICES PAID for rags, bottles, tools, stoves, furniture, or anything you wish to dispose of. We call anywhere, any time. Phone 4149.

ABSOLUTELY Best Prices Paid for GENTLEMEN'S DISCARDED CLOTHING. Antiques, Old Silver, Sheffield Plate. MRS. JAWETT, 121 Fort St. Phone 2624.

ABSOLUTELY best cash prices paid for ladies', gentlemen's and children's good class DISCARDED CLOTHING. Phone 5682, or call Mrs. Wardale, 1561 Douglas St.

ALL junk you have, the Veteran Junk will buy. Phone 2931.

DON'T hesitate—Phone 1408 if you have any furniture you wish to dispose of. Our representative will call and offer current prices. Island Exchange, 739 Fort St.

FOR best prices take your man's discarded suits, etc., to the Economy Wardrobe, 630 Fort St. or Phone 2423. No connection with any other firm.

GENTLEMEN'S DISCARDED CLOTHING BOUGHT
BEST PRICES PAID—WE CALL
SHAW & CO.
734 FORT STREET PHONE 421

HIGHEST cash prices paid for good class furniture, carpets, ranges, china and silverware. Oddy's, 1912 Douglas Street. Phone 2484.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS 14 (Continued)

HIGHEST cash prices paid for diamonds and old jewelry at Aaronson's, 561 Johnson Street. Phone 755. Will call at any address.

PHONE 4146—WE PAY BEST PRICES for bottles, rags, tools, stoves, furniture, or anything else you wish to dispose of. We call anywhere, any time. Try us.

RAGS, bottles, furniture, old clothes, junk, etc., Best prices. Phone 5974L.

RED Seal records, operatic numbers, vocal. State price and particulars. Box 323, Colonist.

SAFE Wanted. Particulars to Box 793, Colonist.

VICTORIA JUNK AGENCY CO.
We Buy Junk.
1212 Wharf Street. Phone 1336

WANTED—Large quantity fir slabwood. Box 663, Colonist.

WANTED—Some good furniture for dining room, parlor and bedroom, for cash. Box 5982, Colonist.

WANTED—Any picture, watercolor or oil, showing violin and flowers. A. Roberts, auctioneer, Holland Ave., Victoria, or phone Colquitz 40M.

ROOM AND BOARD 15

AN IDEAL HOME for Business People—The Aberdeen; newly renovated; very cosy; h. and c. water all rooms, shower baths each floor. Old Country cook. Phone 10190.

AT Tanjore Lodge, modern desirable home, reasonable rates. 913 Fairfield Rd. Phone 5285X.

AT Firwood Lodge, 905 Cook Street, First-class board-residence. Phone 1148.

BOARD-RESIDENCE or furnished rooms, private home, close town. 1054 Burdett.

BON-ACCORD, 816 Princess, board-residence; close in; moderate. Phone 4682.

COMFORTABLE room and board; furnace. Close in. Reasonable rates. 1021 McClure. Phone 1060X.

THE coziest rooms in town, with every modern convenience, special terms by week or month. At the Cecil, Blanshard St., next to Public Library. Phone 12180.

WIDOW, keeping help, has board and lodging for man and wife or two ladies; comfortable quarters. Fairfield district. Phone 7168Y.

1050 SOUTHGATE — Select room and board. Close to car, city. Phone 5472L.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED 16

BUSINESS men requires bedroom and meals with quiet private family. Address, stating terms, to Box 916, Colonist.

GENTLEMAN working nights desires quiet room with board, close in, home comforts appreciated. Advise details, Box 875, Colonist.

ROOM and Board wanted for young gentleman in Fairfield District. Terms must be moderate. Box 928, Colonist.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT 18

A FURNISHED room, ladies only, near car line, excellent neighborhood. Telephone 7868R.

FAIRFIELD HOTEL
CENTRALLY located, opposite City Hall, clean and quiet, hot water and well heated; reasonable rates. Phone 32920. H. A. Linehan, manager.

FURNISHED rooms, board optional, in private home, close to park. Phone 2492R.

HOTEL BRUNSWICK, under new management. Clean, comfortable rooms, $2 week and up. Also housekeeping rooms. Corner Douglas and Yates.

LARGE, pleasant rooms, nicely furnished, in private home, close to park. Phone 2714Y.

RITZ HOTEL, 710 Fort Street. Four-room suite, fully modern; also single and housekeeping rooms, elevator. Phone 52.

TWO furnished rooms with bath, private home; suit 2 adults; $20 per month. Phone 1176 between 5 and 6 p.m.

WELL-FURNISHED housekeeping room, bath, use of sitting-room and piano, central. Phone 2986L. 1144 Rockland Ave.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS TO RENT 19

A 855 Vancouver Street—One or two housekeeping rooms, with kitchen.

A 817 Government Street—Nicely furnished rooms, with kitchenette. Phone 5697.

A PLY 544 Dallas Road—Well furnished bed-sitting and kitchen, good sea view.

A 805 Cormorant St., right in town—Nicely furnished housekeeping rooms, hot and cold water, laundry, phone, gas and heating all free; from $2.75 weekly.

A 2-ROOMED furnished flat, near High School, $18. 2011 Fernwood Road.

A 829 Pandora—Spotlessly clean housekeeping apartments, hot water, charges moderate, close in. Phone 7868L.

BEVERLEY BUILDING, 724 Yates Street. The Best Ever! That's what they say about our housekeeping rooms. Unlimited hot water, light, gas, elevator. Managed by Jas. A. Griffith. Phone 5476L.

BLACKPOOL LODGE—Mrs. Potter, 312 Dallas, facing sea. No objection to children.

CLEAN furnished housekeeping rooms and cabins. A bargain, $7 per month and up. 1088 Hillside.

DELHI HOTEL—Housekeeping and single rooms. 617 Yates St. Mrs. Shelton.

FOR rent in Esquimalt, two or three furnished housekeeping rooms, convenient. Apply 617 Constance Avenue.

SELF contained furnished bedroom and kitchen, all conveniences. Side entrance. Private home. Phone 6218R.

WELL FURNISHED bed sitting-room with kitchenette, use of sitting-room and piano, central. Phone 2964L. 1144 Rockland Avenue.

734 BURDETT Avenue—Housekeeping room with kitchenette, also furnished room, heated. Central.

FLATS AND APARTMENTS TO RENT 21

A 550 Dallas Road, 3 roomed suite and pantry, garage if desired. Possession unfurnished 16th April, furnished 1st May. Box 324 Colonist.

AN exceptionally pleasant suite furnished or unfurnished, heated. Stanley Apts., Linden Avenue.

APARTMENT to let, unfurnished, Fawcett Block, Douglas St. and Kings Road. Phone 680.

AT Morrison Apartments, Hillside and Chester, Fairfield—Good suite, heated, also fireplace.

AT the Normandie Apartments, cor. Cook and Belmont, furnished and unfurnished suites for rent.

A SMALL unfurnished suite at Hampton Court. Phone 302.

ARGYLE COURT, 421 Linden Ave.—Unfurnished suite, adults only. Vacant April 1.

AT Leland Apartments, 2512 Douglas Street—Bright modern suites, furnished and unfurnished.

AT Mt. Edwards, Vancouver St.—Furnished flat for rent. Phone 7342.

AT Cyr-Du-Mar, 426 Michigan Street—Largest and best furnished four and five-room apartments in the city. Phone 72271.

ATTRACTIVE modern furnished suite (near Parliament Buildings). Broadway Apartments, 449 Superior Street.

BLACK!—Why be a slave in cooking and dishwashing when you may enjoy a comfortable Winter at the James Bay Hotel? Prairie Visitors Always Welcome. Moderate Inclusive Rates. Phone 2304.

BELWIL Apartments—Cosy 3, 2 and single room suites, moderate. Phone 56540.

BELLEVUE Court, Oak Bay—Three-roomed furnished suite with bath. Possession at once. $32. Telephone 2736.

BRIGHTLIGHT, 53 Douglas Street—Fully furnished apartment, also partly furnished flat, nice grounds.

BRIGHT 3-roomed suite, with bath, $30 a month. 402 Blanshard, phone 6714L.

BEACON Hill Apartments, 421 Vancouver. Furnished suite, bright, attractive, every convenience. Near Beacon Hill Park.

COOPER Apartments, 771 Michigan—Unfurnished or furnished 4-room modern suite, fireplace, garage.

CLOSE in Mt. Edwards—Completely furnished suite, every convenience. 946 Moss.

FOUR ROOM flat, modern, gas, three blocks from Parliament Buildings; adults, at 207 Quebec St. Phone 4914X.

FLATS AND APARTMENTS TO RENT 21 (Continued)

FURNISHED suites, close in, modern, $25 a month, including electric light, gas, hot and cold water; adults only. Phone 6828R.

JAMES BAY—At 482 Superior Street, furnished apartment, modern. Phone 5742O.

ROSTREVOR, 1148 Oscar St., Fairfield. Furnished apartments, hot water heated. Phone 1422.

ST. HELENS, 826 Courtney St. (opposite Cathedral)—Housekeeping rooms and apartments. Rooms for transients. Phone 6861O.

TREBARTHA, 1046 View, large or small, furnished or unfurnished suites. Phone 76361.

THE GRANGE, 650 Linden Ave.—Well-furnished suite to rent; steam heated. Phone 5183.

600 GORGE Road, 10 minutes from City Hall, nicely furnished apartment, $15.

4-ROOM flat, 2 bed, open fireplace, no linen, crockery or silver. 3-room fully furnished, open fireplace, ground floor, nice grounds. 7 rooms, 3 bedrooms, sleeping porch, garage, close to water. Marchant, 111 Pemberton Bldg. Phone 9671.

1007 COLLINSON, suites with large verands, adults only, $20 and $25. Phone 6628R.

3-ROOM furnished apartment, Parkway Apts., to rent. Phone 7272L, or Box 927, Colonist.

WANTED TO RENT—FLATS AND APAR

A Mart for Busy Readers--House and Business Property for Sale and Exchange

AUTOMOBILES 28 (Continued)

SPECIAL LATE MODEL NASH TOURING, IN EXCELLENT CONDITION.

$1095

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Phone 2176 for a demonstration of our new Hupmobile Six

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FOUL BAY—$1,850, terms, $200 down, balance $20 per month. Small cottage, fronting on cemented and boulevarded road. Lot alone worth the money. Wonderful view of sea and mountains. One block from sea and car.

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OAK BAY bungalow of 4 rooms, modern, near car and beach, large lot, nice garden. $3,100, terms.

6 ROOMED story and half house in Oak Bay, near car line, furnace, good lot and garden. $3,200 terms.

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OWNER three good bungalows would sell one cheaply. Fairfield, seven rooms, all modern, furnace, cement basement; close sea and car. Hillside five rooms, modern, excellent order, trifling taxes. Half-mile circle, five rooms, modern, cement basement, excellently laid out. Actual proposing buyers only. Prices $3,600, $2,950 and $1,850, respectively. Worth much more. Phone 42661, for appointment.

OAK BAY—This lovely 6-room new stucco bungalow, situated on Beach drive, has large living room with fireplace, beautiful polished floors, kitchen with built-in bins and drawers, 2 bedrooms, 3-piece bathroom; cement basement. Close to sandy beach with beautiful sea view. Price $4,500, terms.

FAIRFIELD—6-room modern bungalow, built-in features, panelled and beamed, lovely electric fixtures, cement basement, furnace, tubs. Has been newly decorated throughout. This is one of the finest finished bungalows in the Fairfield district. Is on one of the best streets and close to Dallas Road. Price only $4,100. Owner has clear title.

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HOUSES FOR SALE 39 (Continued)

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ALMOST AN ACRE ON THE SEAFRONT AND A WELL-CONSTRUCTED RESIDENCE of six rooms, cement basement, etc. Great sacrifice at this price.

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A WELL-BUILT COTTAGE BUNGALOW, 4 ROOMS, AND FULLY PLUMBED. Like new, clean and in sound condition. Very easy terms.

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VERY desirable residence, in excellent order, containing drawing, dining-room, den, kitchen, pantry, hall, veranda, 3 bedrooms, dressing-room, bathroom, 2 toilets, 3 rooms in attic; cement basement, whole house heated with central heating and open fireplaces in main rooms. Extensive view, pretty garden, good water supply. Standing in 3 acres. Price $8,500.

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HOMES THAT SHOULD APPEAL TO THE CAREFUL BUYER

$2600—FAIRFIELD DISTRICT—A modern bungalow of five rooms, built-in features, full basement and furnace. Garage. Situated half a block from car line. Exceptionally good value at the price quoted.

$2575—OAK BAY DISTRICT—This bungalow has five rooms, with full basement and furnace heated, modern throughout. Built in 1926. Good garage. If you are in the market for a house let us show you this one.

OAK BAY DISTRICT—A very nice, comfortable home of eight rooms, in fair condition. Two fully-sized lots, with oak trees. This property is situated south of Oak Bay Avenue. A very attractive buy at the price quoted.

$3500

FAIRFIELD SEAFRONT HOME

$5250

Practically new stucco home of semi-bungalow type, arranged as complete 8-room bungalow on ground floor. Closed stairway leads to two bedrooms and sewing room upstairs. Well-arranged plan, large living room with fireplace, polished and bordered floors in main rooms, glassed-in sun porch, full cement basement, furnace, wash tubs and garage. 60-foot lot with nice outlook. $1,500 cash, balance arranged at 7%.

LINDEN AVENUE HOME

$6500

Very desirable modern home of 8 rooms, situated on good part of this avenue above Fairfield Road. Contains 3 spacious rooms, lovely drawing room and dining room, 4 bedrooms and den, 3 open fireplaces, extra plumbing. House is in fine condition, and immediate occupation can be given. Good lot, with entrance on wide lane at rear.

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TWO CLOSE-IN BUNGALOWS

$1600—5-ROOM bungalow, in very good condition, all conveniences, chicken house and large size shade trees. Large lot, just off Douglas Street, and ten minutes' walk to town.

$1900—A NICE, well-built house, containing hall, bright living room with fireplace, two bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen, pantry, laundry tubs, also glassed in porch with view of harbor. On car line, and only 15 minutes' walk to city. Lot 40x100.

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(Established 1894)
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$1275 Built a very nice 4-roomed bungalow, large district. Reasonable terms.

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$4200 BUILT 5-roomed modern house with 1¾ acres. Chicken houses and runs. $8 well assor

ACREAGE FOR SALE 42 (Continued)

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Established 1887

LAKE FRONTAGE

FURNISHED modern house of 10 rooms with built-in features; convenient, well built and beautifully situated above the lake.

The property consists of 25 acres with 15 cleared and in pasture. The soil is good.

Outbuildings are in good shape and include garage, storehouse and a large barn. Water piped to buildings.

This is convenient to town and school.

$14,000

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The home is of attractive design, with full concrete basement and furnace, and equipped with all modern conveniences, while the grounds surrounding the house are laid out in lawn and driveway, leading to a good garage and workshop. Poultry houses and runs provide accommodation for 200 birds. High, public and Normal schools within walking distance, and street car line close by.

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$125—NORTH Quadra St.—Lot, 55x159, full of pear trees.

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PROPERTY FOR SALE 44

BUSINESS SITE, Oak Bay Junction, the centre of city, where four main arteries meet. No vacant stores. Unique position sacrificed at $1,500. Box 398, Colonist.

FINE large building lot on high part Rockland Ave., adjoining Government House property; no rock, trees. Will sell cheap. Address owner, Box 787, Colonist.

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PROPERTY WANTED 45

WE have a cash buyer for a view lot in Uplands. Send particulars to R. V. Winch & Co., Ltd., 646 Fort St. Phone 6150.

FARMS FOR SALE 47

FOR Sale—As going concern or will exchange for revenue bearing Victoria City or suburban property, 23 acres on Nanaimo River, central B. C., 5 miles from Vanderhoof and ¼ mile from Binkut station. An ideal home, good new building. Look to the country and be independent. Further particulars Box 731, Colonist up till next Tuesday.

$2250 CASH will handle a splendid waterfront property on a nice lake, facing main road, not far from Victoria. 6-room house with Summer kitchen; city water; barn, chicken houses, shed and small orchard. About 4 acres cleared, 1 acre good bottom land. Total price $5,200. Suitable for chickens, Summer resort or subdivision, as the waterfront alone could be sold to pay full purchase price. F. F. Higgs, 204 Pemberton Bldg.

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26 ACRES, ¼ mile from station and store, with 7-room modern house, good orchard and outbuildings. This would make a good chicken, rabbit or goat proposition. Price, with incubator, 300 chickens, furniture and car, $4,200. Far farm alone, $3,000.

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160 ACRES, improved farm in Alberta, near railroad, cheap. Will take car as first payment, sedan preferred, balance yearly. Good opportunity to make money. Write Owner, Box 119, Colonist.

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In the Matter of "The Winding-Up Act" and
In the Matter of the British Canadian Home Builders, Limited (In Liquidation)

The creditors of the above-named company are required, on or before the 14th day of April, 1923, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their solicitors (if any), to Colonial Trust Company, care of The Royal Trust Company, Belmont Building, Victoria, B.C., the Official Liquidator of the said company, and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Official Liquidator, are by their solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims, at the Chambers of the presiding Judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Wednesday, the 31st day of April, 1923, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at the said Chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the said debts and claims.

Dated this 2nd day of March, 1926.

H. H. TYRWHITT DRAKE,
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Finance and Commerce

200 STOCKS CRASH TO NEW LOW LEVELS

BIG SELLING MOVEMENT SEEN—ALL CLASSES OF STOCKS DROP IN NEW YORK

Closing Prices Lowest of Day—Day's News Fails to Account for Decline—Bank Loans Called

NEW YORK, March 29.—All classes of stock were thrown overboard in today's market with the result that more than 200 issues crashed to new levels for the year. Net losses in the active shares ran from one to ten points with even sharper breaks in some of the ordinarily inactive issues. Both the rail and industrial averages showed net declines of more than 2½ points. The reaction was not associated with anything in the day's news, although the calling of about $25,000,000 additional in bank loans, which sent the call money rate from 4¾ to 5¼ per cent, undoubtedly stimulated the selling movement.

Prices were reactionary from the start, but it was not until United States Steel common, General Motors and Hudson had broken through their previous resistance points that the weakness became general. Short covering operations brought about feeble rallies in some issues during the last hour, but closing prices generally were around the lowest of the day.

United States Steel common, which sold as high as 138½ earlier in the year, dropped from 121¼ to 118¼, and then rallied to 119, a net loss of 2⅛ on the day.

Call money renewed at 4¾ per cent, advancing to 5 and then to 5½ per cent on heavy withdrawals of funds by interior banks in anticipation of month-end requirements. Time money and commercial paper rates were unchanged.

Total sales were 2,701,600 shares. Weakness of the foreign exchanges, the drastic decline in stock prices to the lowest level of the year and the continued money stringency contributed to the unsettlement of the bond market. Prices of foreign obligations slumped sharply and losses of one to three points were recorded by a variety of domestic railroad and industrial issues in nervous trading.

(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Bid
Allis Chalmers	80	80	80
Allied Chemical	114-4	108-4	108-4
Am. Beet Sugar	27	27	27
Am. Bosch Mag	31-1	30-4	30-4
Am. Can	42-2	39-4	39-4
Am. Car & Fdy.	123	99	99
Am. Intl. Corp.	37-1	37-1	37-1
Am. Linseed	36-2	36-2	36-2
Am. Locomotive	102-4	96-6	96-6
Am. Smelters	118-4	116-5	117
Am. Steel Fdy.	42	42	42
Am. Sugar	67-4	67	67-5
Am. Sum. Tob	11-1	11-1	11-1
Am. Tel. & Tel.	144-4	143	143-4
Am. Tobacco	113-4	113	113
Am. Tobacco "B"	112	112	112
Am. Woolens	36	32-7	33
Anaconda	43-1	42-3	42-3
Armour "A"	21-7	21-2	21-2
Anaconda	43-1	42-2	42-2
Armour "A"	21-7	21-3	21-2
Atlantic Gulf	38	37-7	38
Atchison	125	123-6	123-6
Baldwin Loco	98-7	97-4	98-4
Baltimore & Ohio	83	83-1	83-3
Bethlehem Steel	40-5	40-1	40-1
Brooklyn Manhat	38	38	38
California Packing	128-3	124-7	124-7
California Petr	34-5	32-3	32-6
Canadian Pacific	156	156	155
Central Leather	13	12-6	12-6
Cerro De Pasco	41-3	40-1	40-1
Chandler	15-7	15-7	15-7
Chesapeake & Ohio	134-6	132-2	132-2
Chic. Gt. Western	9-5	8-3	8-6
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	11-1	11-4	11-4
Chic. & Northwest	67-3	67-2	67-2
Chic. R.I. & Pac.	45-7	45	45
Chrysler Motor	22-4	20-5	20-6
Coca Cola	133	123	131
Colo. Fuel & Iron	29	28-5	28-5
Columbia Gas	65	24-1	63
Cons. Gas	90-5	87-4	87-2
Cont. Can	75-3	72-6	73-6
Cont. Oil	22-3	22-3	22-6
Cont. Motor	10-5	10-4	10-4
Corn Products	37	35-3	35-6
Cosden Oil	30	30	30
Crucible Steel	67-4	62-4	63-4
Cuba Am. Sugar	24-4	23-2	23-6
Davison Chemical	28-6	27-2	27-5
Del. Lack & West	136-5	135	135
Dodge Bros	21-4	20-2	21-2
Dodge Bros. pfd.	63-6	63-1	63-1
Dupont Powder	200	132-4	136-4
Elec. Power	19	18-4	18-4
Erie	24-6	24-4	24-5
Erie 1st pfd	27	27	27
Famous Players	113-3	111-4	111-4
Engineer pfd	14-4	14-4	14-4
Fisher Body	87-5	83	85
General Asphalt	57	53	53-4
General Cigar	50	48	48
General Electric	233	287	287
General Motors	118	113-3	114-3
Goodrich Rubber	53	52-3	53-2
Granby	17	13-5	17
Great Northern Ore	22-5	23-5	23-5
Great Northern pfd	71	70-1	70-2
Gt. West Sugar	36	35-4	35-7
Gulf States Steel	64-7	64-4	64-7
Houston Oil	59-3	58	58
Howe Sound	34-1	33	33-4
Illinois Central	116-5	114-5	113-0
Imperial Oil	23-4	23	23
Inspiration	31-7	31-6	31-6
Hudson Motors	92-2	76	76-2
Intl. Combs Eng	34-5	34	34
Intl. Pete	23	20-7	20-2
Intl. Mer Mar	3-4	3-4	3-4
Intl Mer Mar, pfd	36-1	36-1	36-1
Intl. Nickel	14-4	13	13
Intl. Tel & Tel.	112-4	111-7	114-7
Kan City Southn	73-4	36-7	37
Kennecott Copper	31-3	30-5	30-5
Keystone Tire	6-3	5	5-2
Lehigh Valley	74-4	74-4	74-4
Louisiana Oil	14-3	14	14-1
Louis. & Nash	152-7	152	152-7
Mack Truck	162-4	162	162
Marland Oil	54	52	52
Mexican Seaboard	7-1	7-1	7-1
Miami	12	12	12
Miss. Pacific	30-4	29-5	29-5
Miss. Pacific pfd	77	73-4	73-4
Montana Power	71	71	71
Montgomery Ward	43-2	39-6	39-6
Moon Motor	30-4	30-4	30-4
Motherlode	6-4	6-4	6-4
Motor Wheel	28-4	26-4	26-4
National Biscuit	77-4	76	76
Natl. Dairy Prod	38-7	37-6	37-5
National Lead	143-2	143-2	143-2
Norfolk & West	147	147	147
North American	40-7	40-2	40-4
Northern Pacific	58-3	58	58
N.Y. Central	127	119-1	119-4
N.Y., N.H. & Hart	34-6	34	34-6
N.Y., Ont. & West	21-7	21-7	21-7
Packard Motor	34-1	32-6	32-6
Pacific Oil	54-0	53	53
Pan American	64	64	64
Pan American "B"	64-5	64	64
Pennsylvania R.R.	60-4	59-2	60-2
People's Gas	119-4	119-4	119-4
Pere Marquette	81-6	81-6	81-6
Phil. Reading Coal	38-4	38-4	38-4
Phillips Pete	43-4	42-2	42-6
Pierce Arrow	27-4	24-1	24-7
Producers & Ref	12-4	12-4	12-4
Pullman Co.	161-3	161-3	161-3
Pure Oil	26-7	23	26
Radio	34	32-4	32-4
Rail. Steel Spring	62-2	62	62
Ray Cons.	11-4	11-4	11-4
Reading	61	61	61
Rep. Iron & Steel	43-7	43	43
Royal Dutch	51	51	51
Savage Arms	84	84	84
Schulte	47-2	45-4	45-4
Sears Roebuck	181-2	177-2	173
Shell Union	23-2	24-4	25
Sinclair Cons.	22	21-2	21-2
Sloss Sheffield	103-4	103-4	100
Southern Pacific	38	37	37
Southern Railway	110	108-4	108-4
Standard Gas	30	34-3	34-5
Standard Oil, Cal.	33	33-7	34-3
Standard Oil, N.J.	42-6	41-6	41-6
Standard Oil, Ind.	67-4	62-4	62-4
Stewart Warner	76	72	73-4
St. Louis & S. Fran.	89	84-5	83
Stromberg Carb.	69	69	69
Studebaker	32-4	31	31-4
Tennessee Copper	12-1	12-1	12-1
Texas Co.	49-6	43-4	43
Texas Gulf Sulphur	127	118-4	120-6
Texas Pacific R.R.	49-4	48-4	48-4
Tex. Pac. C. & O.	14-1	14	14
Timken Roller	49-3	43-3	46-2
Tobacco Prod	101-4	99-2	99-4
Tobacco Prod. "A"	107-4	107-4	107-4
Transcont. Oil	3-4	3-3	3-4
Union Pacific	144-3	142	142
U.S. Cast I. Pipe	164	147	167-4
U.S. Ind. Alco.	38-2	36-2	36-2
U.S. Rubber	67-3	60-5	66
U.S. Steel	120-5	118-1	118-7
Universal Pipe	17	15-5	15-6
Vanadium	30-2	30	30-2
Wabash	71	71	71
Western Union	136	130-4	128-4
Western Pacific	36-3	35-4	35-4
Westing. Elec.	48-4	47-5	47-3
White Motor	63-4	62-2	62-3
Willys-Overland	22-4	21	21
Willys-Overland pfd	97-4	97-3	97-4
Woolworth	152-4	143-2	144
Worth Pump	30-1	30-1	30-1
Yngstn Sh. & Tu.	74-2	74-2	74-2

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, March 29.—Foreign exchanges irregular. Quotations in cents:

France—5.41½; cables 5.42.
Italy—4.02; cables 4.02½.
Belgium—5.66.
Germany—23.80.
Holland—40.07.
Norway—21.36.
Sweden—26.80.
Denmark—24.16.
Switzerland—19.23.
Spain—14.09.
Greece—1.64.
Poland—1.12½.
Czecho-Slovakia—2.93.
Jugo-Slavia—1.73.
Austria—.14.
Rumania—.42.
Argentina—69.76.
Brazil—14.30.
Tokio—43⅝.
Shanghai—73¼.
Montreal—99 27-32.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, March 29.—Sterling exchange irregular. Demand 483⅝; cables 483 5-16; 60-day bills on banks 482.

At Victoria
Buying 485; selling 488

Pure Oil	26-7	23	26
Radio	34	32-4	32-4
Rail. Steel Spring	62-2	62	62
Ray Cons.	11-4	11-4	11-4
Reading	61	61	61
Rep. Iron & Steel	43-7	43	43
Royal Dutch	51	51	51
Savage Arms	84	84	84
Schulte	47-2	45-4	45-4
Sears Roebuck	181-2	177-2	173
Shell Union	23-2	24-4	25
Sinclair Cons.	22	21-2	21-2
Sloss Sheffield	103-4	103-4	100
Southern Pacific	38	37	37
Southern Railway	110	108-4	108-4
Standard Gas	30	34-3	34-5
Standard Oil, Cal.	33	33-7	34-3
Standard Oil, N.J.	42-6	41-6	41-6
Standard Oil, Ind.	67-4	62-4	62-4
Stewart Warner	76	72	73-4
St. Louis & S. Fran.	89	84-5	83
Stromberg Carb.	69	69	69
Studebaker	32-4	31	31-4
Tennessee Copper	12-1	12-1	12-1
Texas Co.	49-6	43-4	43
Texas Gulf Sulphur	127	118-4	120-6
Texas Pacific R.R.	49-4	48-4	48-4
Tex. Pac. C. & O.	14-1	14	14
Timken Roller	49-3	43-3	46-2
Tobacco Prod	101-4	99-2	99-4
Tobacco Prod. "A"	107-4	107-4	107-4
Transcont. Oil	3-4	3-3	3-4
Union Pacific	144-3	142	142
U.S. Cast I. Pipe	164	147	167-4
U.S. Ind. Alco.	38-2	36-2	36-2
U.S. Rubber	67-3	60-5	66
U.S. Steel	120-5	118-1	118-7
Universal Pipe	17	15-5	15-6
Vanadium	30-2	30	30-2
Wabash	71	71	71
Western Union	136	130-4	128-4
Western Pacific	36-3	35-4	35-4
Westing. Elec.	48-4	47-5	47-3
White Motor	63-4	62-2	62-3
Willys-Overland	22-4	21	21
Willys-Overland pfd	97-4	97-3	97-4
Woolworth	152-4	143-2	144
Worth Pump	30-1	30-1	30-1
Yngstn Sh. & Tu.	74-2	74-2	74-2

Victoria Stock Exchange

Mining	Bid	Asked
Dunwell Mines	2.00	2.25
B.C. Silver	1.45	2.00
Glacier Creek	.10	.14
Gladstone	.25	.30
Gleaner		.50
Howe Sound	30.00	33.00
Goldsmith	.15½	.12½
Independence	.06	.10½
Indian Mines	.11	.15
International Coal	.15	.15
L. & L. Glacier		.13
Lakeview	.04	.03
Lucky Jim		.19
Leadenhill	.07½	.04½
Marmot Metals	.07	.12
Malaspina	.17	.33
Porter-Idaho	.03	.11½
Premier Mines	2.18	2.23
Ruth Hope	.32	.34
Selkirks		.08
Silverado		.35
Silver Crest Mines	.14	.17
Silversmith Mines	.48	.50
Sunloch Mines		.20
Terminus		.35
Victoria	.21	.23
Oils		
B.C. Montana	.00½	.00 5-13
Sales		

1,000 Silversmith, 43½; 200 Silversmith, 50; 1,000 Goldsmith, 13½.

Calgary Oil Stocks

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co. by direct private wire)

Dalhousie today quoted at $50. There were some unfounded rumors current Saturday, and it sold as high as 15 on the street and in the broker shops Saturday afternoon, but backed down to where it belonged when the rumors were denied.

	Bid	Asked
Acme	.50	.60
Alberta Pacific Cons	1.13	
New Black Diamond	.93	
Dalhousie	7.75	
Midland	7.00	8.00
Mill City	1.50	1.60
Signal Hill	1.00	1.05
Turner Valley	1.65	1.75
Advance	1.95	2.00
Big Chief	2.00	
Cherokee	1.13	1.23
Illinois Alberta		2.50
Midwest		1.95
Royalite Old		100.00
United Oils	5.50	7.00
Vulcan Oils	4.50	
McDougal Segur Old	2,000.00	
Royalite New		43.00
McDougal Segur New		2.00
Rose Oil		5.00
Nnrwest		.70
Moose Mountain	1.10	1.25
Great West		2.12
London Union	2.40	
Urban	.65	.75
Northwest & West Pacific		.70
Alberta Associated	.60	1.15
Mount Stephen	.77	

Spokane Stocks

(From Northwest Mines Investment, through R. P. Cantis & Co.)

	Bid	Asked
Alex	23½	.21
Ambergris	.08	.11
Calednia	.07	
Callahan Zinc-lead	1.46	1.60
Gladstone Mountain	.35½	.38
Goldmith	.15	.15½
Heela	17.00	
Leadamith	.07½	.08½
Lucky Jim	.15½	.16½
Marsh Cons	.04½	.05½
Premier Gold	2.15	2.26
Richmond Cons	.04½	.05½
Sherman Lead	.16	
Silversmith	.48	.49½
Standard	.08	.13
Stratton	.20½	
Tamarack	.20	.40
Western Union	.05	.08

MONTREAL STOCKS

(All Fractions in Eighths)

	Last
Abitibi	76
Asbestos	80
Atlantic Sugar	114
Bell Telephone	137-4
Brazilian Trac	48-3
B.C. Fishing & Packing	44-4
Brompton Paper	63-4
Can. Cement com	103
Can. Cement, pfd	110-4
Can. Car Fdy., com.	43
Can. Car Fdy., pfd.	40
Can. S.S. com.	13-4
Can. S.S. pfd.	37
Can. Cottons	122
Can. Converters	84
Cons. M. & S.	200
Can. Ind. Alcohol	14
Dominion Bridge	96
Dominion Glass	100
Dominion Textile	91
Howard Smith	44-4
Lake of Woods Milling	140
Laurentide Co.	47-3
Mackay Co.	162-4
Montreal Power	217
National Breweries	54-4
Ontario Steel	72
Ogilvie Milling Co.	170
Ottawa Power	94
Penman's Ltd	78
Shawinigan	183-4
Spanish River Pulp	102
Spanish River Pulp, pfd.	115-4
Steel of Canada	142
Twin City Elec	71-4

Dow Jones' Averages

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)
Forty leading bonds, 94.67, up .07
Twenty industrials, 159.02, off 2.74
Twenty rails, 90.76, off .02.

MONEY MARKETS

LONDON, March 29.—Money 4 3-4 per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 4 1-2 to 4 5-8 per cent; three months' bills, 4 3-8 per cent.

At New York

NEW YORK, March 29.—Call money strong; high, 5 1-2; low, 4 3-4; ruling rate, 4 3-4; closing bid, 5 1-2; offered at 5 3-4; last loan, 5 1-2; call loans against acceptances, 5 3-4 per cent. Time loans firm; mixed collateral, 60-90 days, 4 5-8 to 4 3-4 per cent; 4-6 months, 4 5-8 to 4 3-4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4 1-4 per cent.

Why Businesses Failed in 1925

Due to Fault of Those Failing
INCOMPETENCY 34.0%
LACK OF CAPITAL 33.3%
INEXPERIENCE 8%
FRAUD 3.3%
MISCELLANEOUS 4.4%
} 81.9%

Due to Outside Factors
COMPETITION 3%
SPECIFIC CONDITIONS 11.4%
MISCELLANEOUS 1.3%
} 18.1%

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WHEAT EXPERIENCES LOSSES AT CLOSE

Winnipeg Market Featureless, With Trade Volume Small and Declines Supervene

WINNIPEG, March 29.—With the trade volume the smallest in many weeks, the wheat market today was a dull and featureless affair. Prices were sharply lower, ranging 2 to 2⅝ cents below Saturday at the close, with May at $1.48⅛, July at $1.45⅛ and October at $1.29⅝.

There was limited buying by exporters on the breaks and the selling today, which was light, came from commission houses and from longs liquidating. News from European centres continues favorable for an excellent Spring trade. Supplies abroad are rapidly decreasing and before long the foreign demand will be an active factor in North American markets. Weakness in stock markets influenced the grain trade today.

Coarse grain markets reflected the weakness in wheat and marked up fractional losses. Trade was light.

Cash markets were featureless.

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
May	130	150	148⅛	148⅛
July	147	147	146	146⅛ b
Oct.	130⅝	130⅝	129	129⅛
Oats—				
May	48⅛	48½	47⅛	47⅝
July	48⅝	48⅝	48⅛	48⅛
Oct.	46⅝	46⅝	46⅛	46⅛
Barley—				
May	62⅛	62⅛	61⅝	61⅝ b
July	62½	62⅝	62	62a
Oct.	59½	59⅝	59½a	59½
Flax—				
May	196	196½	196	195½ b
July	198⅝	199	197⅝	197⅝ a
Oct.	198½	198⅝	197½	197½ a
Rye—				
May				87⅝ b
July	89	89½	88	88½ a
Oct.				88a

Cash Prices

Wheat—1 nor., 150⅞; 2 nor., 143⅞; 3 nor., 138⅞; No. 4, 131⅞; No. 5, 121⅞; No. 6, 110⅞; feed, 90⅞; track, 148⅞; screenings, $3 a ton.

Oats—2 cw., 49⅞; 3 cw., 44; extra 1 feed, 43⅞; 1 feed, 41⅞; 2 feed, 39; rejected, 37⅞; track, 47⅞.

Barley—3 cw., 60⅞; 4 cw., 55⅞; rejected, 53⅞; feed, 52⅞; track, 60⅞.

Flax—1 nwc., 192⅞; 2 cw., 188⅞; 3 cw., 177⅞; rejected, 167⅞; track, 193⅞.

Rye—2 cw., 85⅞.

NEW YORK CURB

2 O'CLOCK LIST

Industrials	Bid	Asked
Acme Coal	.05	.25
Centrifugal	13½	.30
Checker Cab	.07	.10½
Durant Del.	.08	.08½
Mesabi	01½	01½
Rusia	.21	.32½
Reo	.20	.20½
Tob. Prod. Ex	04½	04½
Un. Profit Shar	11½	12½
Un. Retail Candy	.07	.07½
Cities Serv. Com.	41½	41½
Cities Serv. Pfd.	.83	.83½
Cities Serv. Bkrs	.20½	.21
Am. Gas El.	.69	.70½
Lehigh Pow. Secs.	12½	12½
Oils		
Carib	13½	13½
Glenrock	.05	.20
Int. Pete.	36½	36½
Marl Mex	02½	02½
Mexico Oil	.03	.10
Cent. Oil	.21	.21½
Pennock Oil	.19	.20
Ryan Cons.	05½	.06
Sapulpa	.01	.02
Salt Cr. Prod.	.06	.12½
Salt Cr. Cons.	04½	.05
Wilcox	23½	23½
City	10½	11½
Mu.	23½	.24
Mines		
Ariz.

MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

JAPANESE LINES SCRAPPING SHIPS

HAKATA MARU OF N.Y.K. SOLD FOR $41,000—FORMERLY ON VICTORIA RUN

O.S.K. Plans Doing Away With Old Ships and Replacement With Seven New Liners

Two of the more important Japanese steamship lines now operating in the transpacific are considering the scrapping of their old ships and among the first to go is the Hakata Maru, of the N. Y. K., which formerly operated between Yokohama and Victoria. It was learned here yesterday. The Hakata Maru has been sold to a fish packing concern for $41,000 on condition that the buyers do not operate the ship on any section of the N. Y. K. service.

The Toyama Maru and Tokiwa Maru, which are being withdrawn from the transpacific run, are nearly as old as the Hakata Maru, which vessel was built in 1893 and was of 2,638 tons gross. It is quite probable that these ships will also be sold.

The Osaka Shosen Kaisha line is planning the sale of its superannuated ships and has drawn up specifications for seven ships on order to be handed to the builders shortly. The total cost is estimated at $3,000,000. The new fleet is expected to develop a speed of thirteen to eighteen knots.

It is quite probable that some of these new ships will be used on the northern transpacific run, as the O. S. K. is already replacing those on the southern run with large Diesel-engined liners, some of which have yet to be completed. This move would be caused by the development of the two transpacific services now operated by the N. Y. K. since the merger of the Toyo Kisen Kaisha with the former line.

Mr. Takeo Yamamohto, who has arrived in San Francisco as the new manager for the N. Y. K. and directing head on this continent of that line, says that the new liners for the transpacific run into San Francisco will be the last word in ship construction. They will have accommodation for 250 first cabin, 100 second cabin, 100 intermediate and 350 steerage passengers. These vessels will replace liners now operating on the run and which will most likely be transferred to the northern route into Victoria and Seattle. The vessels now operating between Yokohama and San Francisco are much larger than the ones operated on the northern route and have better passenger accommodation.

Superintendent of Drydock Appointed

PRINCE RUPERT, March 29.—Confirmation of the appointment of Mr. G. McMillan as superintendent of the Government drydock here was received today from Mr. B. C. Keeley, Pacific superintendent of the Canadian Government Merchant Marine, Limited, at Vancouver. Mr. A. Watson, formerly of Montreal, will continue as Mr. McMillan's assistant.

Two of the Government Merchant Marine ships are to be overhauled here this week. The Canadian Observer entered drydock last night, and the Canadian Seigneur is due from Florida at the end of the week.

Eight Killed in Accident

RIO JANEIRO, March 29.—Advices from Itajuba, in the State of Minas Geraes, report five killed and eight injured in an accident on the Rede Sul Mineiro Railway. The engine and a second-class coach were derailed and rolled down a 200-foot embankment.

UNION OIL COMPANY BUYS NEW STEAMER

Radiant Will Be Operated Between Seattle, British Columbia and Alaska as Distributor

SEATTLE, March 29.—Ready to institute service from Seattle to British Columbia and Alaska for the Union Oil Company the tanker Radiant, latest addition to the fleet of the company, is expected here within the next few days from Los Angeles. The Radiant was purchased recently from the Atlantic and after several coastwise trips in the California oil trade was given an extensive overhauling and re-conditioned to prepare her for her new service.

The Union Oil Company has been sending oil from California to British Columbia and Alaska direct. With the Radiant in service as a feeder the larger tankers of the company will bring oil from California to Seattle, and she will load the oil in this port for distribution in Victoria, Vancouver, Port Moody, Ketchikan, Sitka and other ports. The Radiant is a motorship with a capacity of 19,600 barrels of oil.

Shipping Information

TIDES AT VICTORIA MARCH

Date	Time	H't	Time	H't	Time	H't	Time	H't
	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.
1 ..	2.01	7.6	10.44	6.2	15.24	7.6	23.28	3.6
2 ..	2.18	7.6	11.23	5.7	16.31	7.9	23.56	4.5
3 ..	2.46	7.6	12.09	5.3	17.33	8.2	23.18	5.2
4 ..	3.03	6.1	13.58	4.6	18.54	8.6	23.56	5.8
5 ..	3.16	4.3	15.41	4.0	20.34	8.8	23.57	6.3
6 ..	4.15	2.6	14.24	3.5	.....	.....	.....	.....
7 ..	.....	.....	6.36	6.6	16.55	3.0	.....	.....
8 ..	.....	.....	7.14	9.0	18.48	2.4	.....	.....
9 ..	.....	.....	8.12	8.1	17.42	3.1	.....	.....
10 ..	.....	.....	8.56	6.9	18.24	3.6	.....	.....
11 ..	0.08	7.9	9.28	7.5	11.28	3.8	23.33	1.8
12 ..	3.37	7.8	7.38	7.6	12.54	8.3	20.07	2.4
13 ..	3.14	6.6	8.26	6.2	13.42	8.6	20.48	2.4
14 ..	3.56	4.1	9.19	3.4	14.43	8.5	21.31	2.1
15 ..	4.01	2.3	10.16	1.6	15.40	7.6	22.11	2.9
16 ..	4.28	3.2	11.00	4.1	16.26	7.5	23.55	4.0
17 ..	5.57	5.2	11.51	2.4	18.21	7.1	23.38	4.8
18 ..	5.28	6.0	12.44	3.3	20.09	7.0	.....	.....
19 ..	0.35	6.6	5.38	6.5	12.26	3.1	.....	.....
20 ..	.....	.....	6.21	8.4	11.38	2.0	.....	.....
21 ..	.....	.....	5.37	8.3	.....	.....	16.57	3.6
22 ..	.....	.....	5.35	8.2	.....	.....	17.46	3.1
23 ..	7.51	8.3	.....	.....	.....	.....	17.38	3.1
24 ..	3.12	8.3	6.18	7.4	16.34	7.5	18.14	3.2
25 ..	3.56	7.9	9.03	7.1	17.40	7.3	19.02	3.2
26 ..	3.58	8.0	8.46	7.2	19.19	7.5	19.41	3.4
27 ..	3.07	7.8	8.36	6.1	19.34	7.3	20.18	3.6
28 ..	5.03	7.7	6.16	3.6	14.14	7.6	20.43	3.8
29 ..	5.19	7.7	8.24	4.8	12.45	7.2	21.56	4.1
30 ..	5.44	7.8	10.07	4.8	16.42	7.1	21.57	4.6
31 ..	5.14	7.8	10.43	3.8	17.05	7.0	22.33	5.2

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of lower low water.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET MARCH

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C. for the month of March, 1926:

	Sunrise	Sunset		Sunrise	Sunset
1	6.53	5.37	17	6.23	6.55
2	6.52	5.38	18	6.26	6.31
3	6.51	5.60	19	6.13	6.33
4	6.49	6.01	20	6.16	6.31
5	6.47	6.03	21	6.14	6.28
6	6.45	6.05	22	6.12	6.27
7	6.43	6.07	23	6.10	6.25
8	6.41	6.08	24	6.08	6.21
9	6.39	6.11	25	6.06	6.25
10	6.37	6.15	26	6.04	6.24
11	6.35	6.14	27	6.02	6.24
12	6.34	6.13	28	5.00	6.26
13	6.31	6.14	29	5.58	6.27
14	6.30	6.17	30	5.57	6.28
15	6.27	6.16	31	5.55	6.30
16	6.25	6.16			

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

Sir Thomas Lipton May Make Challenge

LONDON, March 29.—Sir Thomas Lipton who, it has been reported, will challenge for the America Cup again this year, is leaving tomorrow on the Leviathan from Southampton for a business trip to the United States. His secretary today said Sir Thomas hoped to challenge once more, but that there was nothing definite yet. If he decided to try for the cup again, he will build a new Shamrock V.

Another passenger on the steamer will be Mr. Charles Schwartz, of New York, who won the Grand National Steeplechase last week with Jack Horner.

EMMA ALEXANDER SETS NEW RECORD

Liner Brings 300 Passengers From California, of Whom 102 Debark, Starting Early Movement

A new passenger-carrying record was broken last night by the Admiral liner Emma Alexander when she docked from San Francisco and other California points at 10.30 o'clock. She brought no less than 300 passengers up from the south, 102 of whom debarked here.

This is the largest number of passengers to travel north-bound on an Admiral liner at this time of the year and indicates an early tourist movement to the Pacific Northwest from California, officials of the line believe. It was not until the first two weeks in June that the heavy movement started last year, with the first debarkation list totaling ninety.

The local office also reported the expected arrival of the President Grant from the Orient on April 5. This vessel has 257 passengers on board, of whom sixty are travelling first-class. There are 1215 tons of freight and twenty-five bags of mail for discharge at this port. The President Jefferson, in the same service, sails for the Far East on April 4.

Weather Report

Prince Rupert—Part cloudy; 30.30; 49; sea smooth.

Estevan — Cloudy; northwest, strong; 30.10; 56; sea rough.

Pachena—Foggy, southeast, 4 miles; 30.06; 47; light swell.

Carmanah — Foggy; west, light; 29.95; sea smooth.

Cape Beale—High fog; southeast, light; 30.00; light swell.

Alert Bay—Clear; west, fresh; 30.20; 55; moderate swell.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, March 29.—Butter and eggs, steady; cheese, quite.

Cheese: Finest westerns, 25c.

Butter: No. 1 pasteurized, 43½c to 44c.

Eggs: Fresh extras, 40c to 41c; fresh firsts, 36c.

Potatoes: Per bag, carlots, $3.50.

R.M.S. NIAGARA IS DUE HERE THURSDAY

Distinguished Personages Among Passengers—Freight This Trip Is Much Heavier

Leaving Honolulu at 5 p.m. on Friday, the Canadian-Australasian R.M.S. Niagara is expected to arrive here on Thursday night, according to advices received by Mr. L. D. Chetham, local representative. By arriving here on Thursday the vessel will be running one day ahead of schedule.

This vessel is bringing a large passenger list, including several distinguished people. Among the 150 first class passengers is the Earl of Stradbroke, the outgoing governor of the State of Victoria, Australia, who is returning to the Old Country.

The new Australian High Commissioner to Washington, D. C., is another passenger on board. Sir James Elder is the newly-appointed High Commissioner. It is also believed that Sir Joseph Ward is on board. An invitation has been extended to Sir Joseph by the Vancouver Canadian Club to address that organization should he pass through the port en route to England.

In addition to the large passenger list the Niagara is bringing up an even larger cargo than that brought in on the Aorangi. Included on the ship's manifest is a heavy shipment of New Zealand and Australian butter, frozen mutton and skins. Since the ratification of the reciprocity treaty between Canada and Australia cargo offerings on the Niagara and Aorangi on the northbound trips have been increasing. The vessels always go out with capacity cargoes of freight on the southbound run.

Shipping Notes

H.M.C.S. Armentieres is expected to complete repairs at the Victoria Machinery Depot about Wednesday, while the steamer Estevan, undergoing her annual overhaul, is likely to be ready by the end of the week.

The C.G.M.M. steamer Canadian Freighter docked here on Sunday from United Kingdom and Eastern Canadian ports, discharging 400 tons of freight before proceeding to Vancouver. In the intercoastal service, the Canadian Prospector is due here April 7.

On her annual hydrographic survey, the C.G.S. Lillooet will sail from this port on Easter Monday. She will continued her survey work in Queen Charlotte Island waters, and will not return until about October 1.

Mr. W. R. McInnes, assistant passenger agent for the Canadian Pacific Steamship Company at Vancouver, has been promoted to the position of assistant passenger agent for the company at Los Angeles. Mr. McInnes recently completed a cruise around the world on board the Empress of Scotland.

Chicago Grain

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

CHICAGO, March 29.—Wheat: Displayed a reactionary trend throughout and gave way on all flurries. Buying power was limited and selling through commission houses in the May and July offset all demand. Buying against bids held the market on the break. The weakness in securities, easiness in Belgian and French exchange and favorable crop reports from the southwest were factors that held the market down.

The May delivery congested easily at times. The seaboard intimated some betterment in cables, but failed to confirm much business for the week. The visible showed a decrease of 1,770,000. The world's shipments for the week were larger than expected, but the supply of wheat and flour on ocean passage was reduced 2,504,000 bushels. Marketings of wheat in the Canadian northwest continue moderate with the premiums at Winnipeg on number one northern at 2⅝ over the May. Wheat may act unsettled for the present, but we see no change in underlying conditions and continue to advise purchases on the setbacks.

Corn: Sold off in the early trading and then steadied. Commission trade was limited with locals inclined to the selling side. The commercial demand was improved with basis steady to firm. The visible for week increased 352,000 bushels.

Oats: Finished with moderate losses. Trade was light and swings were within a narrow range. There was further evidence of foreign inquiry for this grain. The visible supply for week showed a decrease of 1,397,000.

Rye: Finished in lower ground in sympathy with wheat. For present rye will probably sympathize with swings in leading cereal.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
New May	160⅞	160⅞	157⅞	158
Old May	158⅝	158⅝	154⅞	154⅝
July	157⅝	157⅝	153⅞	155⅝
Sept.	132⅞	132⅞	130⅞	131
Corn—				
May	73⅝	73⅝	72⅞	72⅝
July	76⅝	76⅝	75	75⅝
Sept.	78	78⅛	76⅞	78⅝
Oats—				
May	40⅞	40⅝	39⅝	40
July	40⅝	40⅝	40⅛	40⅛
Rye—				
May	88⅞	88⅞	86⅝	87⅞
July	88⅝	88⅝	87⅝	88⅝

Winnipeg Grain Letter

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

WINNIPEG, March 29.—Wheat: With an almost total lack of export business over the week-end, the local market displayed a rather heavy tone today, prices gradually sinking, closing at the bottom and showing a loss of 2 3-8c from Saturday. Trade volume was very small, being the lightest in weeks. The selling, which at no time was heavy, was coming from commission houses and from longs liquidating, with the buying power thin throughout.

The weakness in Chicago and in the New York Stock Market was reflected in this grain market. Seaboard confirmed a little business in wheat over Sunday, but it was worked by the pool.

World's wheat shipments were a little larger than had been expected, being 11,495,000 bushels, of which 6,653,000 were from North America. Wheat and flour on passage decreased 2,500,000 bushels, and supplies in European markets are said to be very small. The Canadian visible decreased 2,057,000, and the United States decreased 1,770,000 bushels. The export of Manitobas last week was said to be around 5,000,000 bushels, and if the foreigner continues to buy at this rate there will be little of our surplus left at the time the new crop is available. Broomhall expects foreign demand will greatly increase owing to the rapidly decreasing supplies overseas. The general opinion abroad is that Germany's wheat exports have only been a large speculation in expectation of lower world's wheat prices, and that she must repurchase the quantities exported. Broomhall mentions a more aggressive continental demand, with Germany picking up consigned cargoes afloat.

The market looks a bit heavy tonight, but we advise caution in pressing the short side on further recessions.

Coarse Grains: The weakness in wheat was reflected in coarse grains and all markets lost ground, oats closing 3-4c down, barley 1-2c lower, and rye 1.5-8c to 2c lower. There was further business reported in oats and barley from supplies east of the lakes, and the inquiry is said to be broadening. Rye continues dull.

Flax: Featureless market with prices 1 5-8 to 2c lower. Demand poor but pressure is light.

SILVER MARKETS

NEW YORK, March 29.—Bar silver, 65 3-4c. Mexican dollars, 50 1-2c.

At London

LONDON, March 29.—Bar silver, 30 1-4d per ounce.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

SEATTLE, March 29.—Arrived: Ms. Isis, Santa Cecilia, Portland; Admiral Sebree, San Francisco; Horace X. Baxter, San Pedro; Border Queen, Southeastern Alaska; Anyox, B.C. ports; Providencia, Tacoma. Sailed: Eldridge, Tiger, President Jefferson, Cadarette, Katrina Luckenbach, Tacoma, Admiral Dewey, San Francisco; Ms. Oregon, Alaska; Anyox, B.C. ports.

VALDEZ, March 29.—Sailed: Northwestern, southbound.

TACOMA, March 29.—Arrived: Border King, B.C. ports; Tiger, Baltimore; President Jefferson, Manila. Sailed: Alaska Standard, Point Wells; Cadarette, Everett; Border King, Seattle; Anyox, B.C. ports; Providencia, Santa Rosalia.

PORTLAND, March 29.—Ms. Pacific Commerce, Manchester; Willamette, San Francisco; Admiral Fiske, San Diego; Sagadahoc, Baltimore; Leikanger, Sydney. Sailed: Richmond, San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.—Arrived: Daisy Freeman, Monterey, Brookings, Johan Paulsen, Astoria; Harvard Maru, Dairen; Admiral Schley, Monterey. Sailed: Jane Nettleton, J. A. Moffett, Seattle; Ruth Alexander, San Pedro.

Arrived

LIVERPOOL, March 29.—Ethel Freda, Portland.

SYDNEY, March 27.—Hallfried, Tacoma.

PHILADELPHIA, March 29.—Lillian Luckenbach, Seattle.

SYDNEY, March 27.—Strathlorne, Portland.

HAMPTON ROADS, March 29.—Anglo Saxon, Vancouver.

Sailed

NEW YORK, March 29.—Henry S. Grove, Suralico, San Francisco.

PONGO, March 27.—Sonoma, San Francisco.

SAVANNAH, March 29.—Elzaser, Vancouver.

WIRELESS REPORT

(Estevan, 8 P.M., March 29)

Admiral Peary, San Francisco for Vancouver, 130 miles from Vancouver.

Olympic, San Pedro for Anacortes, 258 miles from Anacortes.

West Nivaria, Tacoma for San Francisco, 240 miles from San Francisco.

Richmond, Portland for San Pedro, 870 miles from San Pedro.

Canadian Farmer, San Francisco for Victoria, 281 miles from Victoria.

Frank G. Drum, Avon for Honolulu, 877 miles from Avon.

Koyu Maru, Grays Harbor for Osaka, 300 miles from Estevan.

Gyokoh Maru, Japan for Vancouver, 695 miles from Vancouver.

C.G.M.M. MOVEMENTS

Canadian Freighter, March, 11, left Panama Canal for Victoria.

Canadian Highlander, March 24, arrived Belfast.

Canadian Importer, March 15, left Norfolk for Antwerp.

Canadian Pioneer, March 23, left Vancouver for Montreal.

Canadian Planter, March 19, left Antwerp for San Pedro.

Canadian Ranger, Feb. 28, left Antwerp.

Canadian Transporter, March 22, left Halifax for Vancouver.

Canadian Seigneur, March 14, left Panama Canal for Vancouver.

Canadian Winner, March 16, left Victoria for United Kingdom.

Canadian Skirmisher, March 21, left Panama Canal for Halifax.

Canadian Coaster, March 11, arrived Prince Rupert.

Canadian Farmer, March 23, left San Pedro for San Francisco.

Canadian Observer, March 19, arrived San Francisco.

Canadian Rover, March 22, left San Francisco for Astoria.

Canadian Trooper, March 23, arrived Halifax.

Canadian Prospector, March 15, left Panama Canal for San Pedro.

SHIPPING CALENDAR

To Arrive

London Merchant, from United Kingdom, April 1.

Toyama Maru, from Orient, April 2.

Niagara, from Australia, April 2.

President Grant, from Orient, April 5.

Empress of Canada, from Orient, April 5.

Iyo Maru, from Orient, April 14.

Africa Maru, from Orient, April 15.

Alabama Maru, from Orient, April 26.

Aorangi, from Australia, April 30.

To Sail

Tyndareus, for Orient, April 1.

Kaga Maru, for Orient, April 3.

Empress of Asia, for Orient, April 3.

President Jefferson, for Orient, April 4.

Arizona Maru, for Orient, April 7.

Niagara, for Australia, April 7.

President Grant, for Orient, April 16.

Empress of Canada, for Orient, April 17.

Iyo Maru, for Orient, April 28.

Africa Maru, for Orient, May 3.

Aorangi, for Australia, May 5.

Alabama Maru, for Orient, May 14.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS MARCH, 1926

China and Japan

President Jackson: Due at Yokohama, on April 4; Shanghai, April 9; Hong Kong, April 13.

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President McKinley: Due at Yokohama, on April 4; Shanghai, April 9; Hong Kong, April 13.

Australia and New Zealand

Aorangi: Due at Auckland, March 29; Sydney, April 5.

Ventura: Due at Sydney, April 6.

Tahiti: Due at Wellington, April 12; Sydney, April 12.

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LUXTON WILL GET ELECTRIC SERVICE

Terms Are Made Known at Meeting for Connection to B.C. Electric Transmission Line

LUXTON, March 29.—At a public meeting of the residents of Luxton and Happy Valley, held in the Luxton Hall on March 24, Mr. Higham gave a report of his interview with the British Columbia Electric Railway with regard to getting electric power in the above named districts. His report showed that there was no great obstacle in the way to accomplish this.

Residents will be required to defray cost of wiring their residences, which it is estimated will be around thirty dollars.

The company will wire free of charge to any house that is not more than 150 feet from power line, any additional poles or wiring required to be paid for by resident.

Charges for light are to be based on cost of extending service to the respective districts on a similar plan as now used by the city for water, details of which will be submitted to residents in the immediate future.

ISLAND HIGHWAY OILING IMPROVES

Surface Around Ladysmith Is Reported to Be in Good Shape for Traffic

LADYSMITH, March 29. — The Island Highway is in unusually good condition for this season of the year. Great credit is due to those in charge of the work, when the anticipated oiling operations are complete, in the different sections the tourist and the local motorist will have no cause to complain of the roads on Vancouver Island. On account of the continuous heavy traffic during the past Winter months it has been very difficult in many portions of the road to make the repair work satisfactory when it is not possible to make a detour for temporary use, which would allow the work to be done with greater satisfaction.

LADYSMITH MOURNS MR. DAVID ALTON

Large Attendance at Funeral of Victim of Accident at Cassidy

LADYSMITH, March 29. — The funeral of the late Mr. David Alton, who was accidentally killed last Thursday when in the employ of the Granby Colliery Company at Cassidy, took place on Sunday afternoon from the Finn Hall.

The Rev. Mr. Graham, of the United Church, officiated. A very large number of sympathizing friends were in attendance.

The casket was covered with a profusion of floral tributes, bearing evidence of the high esteem in which he was held in the community. The body was laid to rest in the Ladysmith Cemetery.

In Permanent Quarters

COWICHAN STATION, March 29.—The postoffice has been moved from its temporary quarters, and has now a permanent location in part of the new stone building, being erected by Mr. J. Reade.

Speaks on Cathedral

COWICHAN STATION, March 29.—In the C.A.A.C. Hall on Friday night the Ven. Archdeacon Laycock gave a most interesting lecture, illustrated with beautiful lantern slides, to explain the building of the new cathedral in Victoria, which will extend over a period of five years.

It is to be regretted that more people did not avail themselves of this opportunity to hear about the new cathedral, as the attendance was small.

HOSPITAL RECEIVES TO MARK EXTENSIONS

Dedicate Ward to Memory of Mr. E. J. Palmer at Chemainus General Hospital

CHEMAINUS, March 29.—On Sunday afternoon the Chemainus General Hospital was open to visitors, who were given this opportunity of viewing the various additions and alterations, which have been now thoroughly completed.

Many improvements have been made to add to the convenience of the staff and patients, the new nursery, isolation ward and nurses' quarters being admirably planned.

Mr. P. W. Anketell-Jones gave a short address during the afternoon, thanking the members of the Women's Auxiliary for all they had done towards equipping the new rooms.

Rev. E. M. Cook, in a few well-chosen words, dedicated to the memory of the late Mr. E. J. Palmer the private ward which had been furnished throughout by Mrs. Palmer. A delicious tea was served by the auxiliary to the many visitors who came during the afternoon, the tea table being decorated with a profusion of Spring flowers.

St. Andrew's Branch Holds Meeting

COWICHAN STATION, March 29.—The St. Andrew's branch of the W.A. held its usual monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Sherman on Friday afternoon.

Twelve members were present. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

A great discussion followed about providing funds for the branch for the year, and it was decided to start a talent fund, and every member should raise a certain sum by work, etc., instead of holding the annual fete as in former years.

The outfit for the Indian girl at Alert Bay was exhibited, which had been made by the members.

The vice-president intimated that the last meeting of the session (June) would be held at her house, and that Mrs. Schofield would address the members. It was also arranged to have a garden party at Mrs. Mey's home, after the Summer vacation.

Tea was served by the hostess and Mrs. Brock.

Chemainus Personals

CHEMAINUS, March 29. — Miss Finch, of Nanaimo, was the guest of Mrs. P. Wyllie recently.

Mr. William Trenholme, of Beaver Point, is visiting at his home here.

Mrs. J. Martin has returned home, after spending a week in Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Burns and Mr. Jos. Lindsay, of Nanaimo, were recent visitors here with Mrs. Cowan.

JOINT RALLY IS PLANNED THURSDAY

Schools of District West of City to Have All Day Programme at Colwood

The schools of Langford, Colwood, Metchosin and Happy Valley will close on Thursday of this week for the Easter holidays by a grand rally in the Colwood Hall, starting at 11 o'clock in the morning and continuing throughout the day, lunch to be served at noon by the ladies.

Musical and literary selections will enliven the real work of the day, which is an old time spelling contest between like grades in the various schools. As this means a full day's programme and concerns every family in the districts, the parents, trustees and friend will no doubt turn out en masse.

The purpose of the day is to arouse interest, stimulate progress, promote sociability and establish a standard. The value will be in proportion to the interest manifested by those participating, either as visitors or contestants.

Much care has been taken to organize the day succesfully and a pleasant and profitable time is anticipated.

SCHOOL TALENT SHOWN AT SUCCESSFUL CONCERT

Shawnigan Lake School Entertains Large Party of Parents and Friends

SHAWNIGAN LAKE, March 29.—The concert given by the pupils of the Shawnigan Lake School on Saturday afternoon was a highly successful affair, there being well over a hundred parents and friends present, who appeared thoroughly to enjoy the programme.

Mr. Lonsdale, the headmaster, in a few introductory remarks, explained that it was considered advisable to work more or less on classical music, and to set the boys' tasks that might appear a little beyond them; so that some allowance should be made if they did not show to as much advantage as might be expected. So far was it from this being the case, that each item received well-merited applause.

The school possesses a really good orchestra of nearly twenty pieces, which accompanied the first song, "Sea Horses," and also concluded the programme with a most attractive Samoan lullaby, and a minuet. A clever feature was the physical drill conducted by Lieut. Musgrave, concluding with two figures that were excellently done.

Miss Lonsdale gave four violin solos in a delightful manner, and received a beautiful bouquet of flowers. To her is also due the entire musical training of the school.

Of the songs, perhaps the most popular was a part song entitled "Winter Song," which was well and harmoniously rendered. The string quartette by the Juniors showed remarkable promise in a Sarabande by Handel, and a minuet by Mozart.

Mr. M. A. Ellissen received an enthusiastic encore for his first song, to which he responded with a clever topical song, "I'm on the Staff," dealing in a candid manner with the domestic life of the school.

At the conclusion of the concert the headmaster and Miss Lonsdale entertained their guests at tea.

A slight error occurred in the particulars of the forthcoming Spring show in Sunday's issue. This show will be opened by Mrs. R. H. Pooley, not by Mr. Pooley as stated.

Colwood Basketball Team Visits Sooke

COLWOOD, March 29.—The public school basketball team, with the teacher, Miss G. Hawkswood, paid a visit to Sooke on Saturday evening, where they lost the game to the Sooke team, 21 points to 5.

The Colwood team was Olive Walsh, Irene Pealt, Bessie Newham, Kenneth Buxton and Leslie Buxton (captain). Norma Parker and Robert Southwell went as spares.

Transportation was provided by Miss M. Goucher and Mr. J. Southwell.

There will be a service at St. John's, Colwood, on Good Friday evening at 7:30.

Easter Day service will be at 11 a.m. Gifts of flowers and assistance in decorating the church will be welcomed on Saturday afternoon at 2:30.

Captain Saves Boy After Fall From Canoe

TOFINO, March 23. (By Mail)—An accident that, no doubt, would have terminated in a sad fatality had it not been for the promptness and presence of mind of Captain Reese Riley, of the fish carrying boat Olymphia II, occurred here last Saturday afternoon. While attending to various duties around his ship he observed two small boys in a small canoe, paddling around close by.

But as this is a common, everyday occurrence along the waterfront, he paid no especial attention to them, until he suddenly heard a cry. Capt. Riley jumped on the scow, sprang overboard and seized one boy as he was going down. It was only a matter of a very few seconds when he had him on the deck, where by a brisk and rigorous application of first aid methods he soon restored him to animation.

Captain Riley is the only son of the late Mr. Reese Riley, who, for many years, was a popular and intrepid passenger launch owner and operator on the West Coast.

To Hold Silver Tea

MARIGOLD, March 29.—The Garden City Women's Institute will hold a silver tea in Marigold Hall on Thursday, April 1, from 2:30 o'clock until 5 o'clock. The social hours will be enhanced with a short musical programme and Mrs. Gale, of South Saanich, will give a paper on "Rural Courses in Home Economics." Mrs. MacLaurin has kindly loaned a school exhibit for the occasion.

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Coats of covert cloth and wool faille, made with side flare, medium sleeves with turn-back cuffs, convertible collars; some finished with fur; good shades. Priced at **$32.50**

Coats of Bolivia, wool faille and Poiret twill; flare styles with medium sleeves and beautifully trimmed with braid and contrasting colors; touches of fur or plain. Silk lined. Good shades. Each **$35.00**

Coats of Charmeen, tricotine and Poiret twill, showing newest flares; self-trimming, fancy stitching and touches of bright colors. Many of the collars and cuffs have bands of fur. Priced at, each **$42.00**

—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

Girls' White Dresses for Confirmation

Voiles and Crepes de Chine in Dainty Spring Styles

White Voile Dresses of nice quality, daintily trimmed with narrow Val. lace and fine tucks. Sizes for 8 to 14 years. Several styles to choose from. Priced at **$2.25** to **$3.75**

Fine Quality White Voile Dresses in dainty styles, trimmed with fine Val. lace and tucks; ideal Confirmation Frocks, in sizes for 12, 14 and 16 years. Priced at **$8.95**

White Crepe de Chine Dresses in newest flare styles, with long or short sleeves and trimmings of picot frills and ruchings. Sizes for 14 and 16 years. Priced at **$15.95** and **$16.95**

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

Girls' Dainty Easter Frocks of Colored Voile, $2.75 to $6.75

Colored Voile Dresses in very nice quality, trimmed with frills and lace; shown in shades of rose, mauve, pink and blue; some with bloomers to match. Sizes for 2 to 6 years. Specially priced from ..... **$2.75** to **$6.75**

Colored Voile Dresses with picoted frills and flounces, all very dainty; shown in shades of rose, blue, pink, peach, orange and jade. Sizes for 8 to 14 years. Priced from ..... **$3.25** to **$5.75**

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

Baby Rompers of Spun Silk, $3.25

Baby Rompers of soft spun silk, in white only, with neat fitting turn-down collar and short sleeves; fronts are daintily shirred in pink or blue; collar, sleeves and yokes are finished with French knots. Sizes 1, 1½, 2 and 3 years. Priced at **$3.25**

—Infants' Wear, 1st Floor

Smart Pull-Overs

For the Sportswoman at Easter

$5.95 and $8.75

All-Wool "Random" Knit Pull-Overs, in pretty mixed shades; designed with V neck and long sleeves with turn-back cuffs; finished with two pockets. Priced, each, **$5.95**

Excellent Grade All-Wool Pull-Overs, direct from England. Latest styles, featuring the Eton collar, long sleeves and turn-back cuffs; two set-in pockets; shown in heather mixtures of brown and gold, with contrasting collar and cuffs; assorted sizes. At, each **$8.75**

—Sweaters, 1st Floor

Genuine Crepe Rubber Sole

Sports Shoes

For Women

The tremendous advance in rubber prices has led to the production of many substitute materials for crepe rubber.

We have been successful in securing a range of sports shoe styles made with genuine and only perfect sport sole—crepe rubber.

Women's All-White Elk Oxfords at **$9.00**

Smoked Elk and Tan Lizard Grain Combination Oxfords at **$9.00**

Tan Calf and White Elk Combination Oxfords at **$9.00**

All the above have crepe rubber soles, and are shown in sizes 3 to 8 and fittings A to D.

—Women's Shoes, 1st Floor

Easter Gloves

That Give the Final Touch of Distinction

Novelty Suede Fabric Gloves, with short flare or turn-back cuffs; silk embroidered points to match; in shades of grey, chamois, mode, biscuit, new tan, sand, champagne and white. Big value at, a pair **89c**

Novelty Suede Fabric Gloves, in the newest and daintiest cuff designs; wonderful selection in smart new Spring shades. A pair **$1.00**

Novelty Suede Fabric Gloves, in elaborate embroidered cuff designs; two-tone effects or contrasting colors, with silk embroidered points to harmonize. A pair, **$1.25** and **$1.50**

Novelty Silk Gloves, with narrow turn-back cuffs, trimmed with two-tone tricolette in very attractive colorings; shown in cheri, mode and grey. A pair **$1.50**

Novelty Silk Gloves, with deep Elizabethan frill cuffs, edged in contrasting color, two-tone embroidered points; shown in shades of pongee, mocha, grey, mode, doeskin. A pair, **$1.50**

Novelty Silk Gloves, with short flare cuffs trimmed with two-tone frills, double finger tips and silk embroidered points. Shown in pheasant, pongee, mode, grey and black. A pair **$1.50**

Novelty Silk Gloves, with turn-back cuffs, trimmed with a narrow frill; two-tone silk embroidered points and double finger tips; shown in mocha, mode, grey and black. A pair **$1.50**

Novelty Silk Gloves, featuring the two-way cuffs; these may be worn in flare or turn-back effects; shown in beautiful contrasting shades, including grey, mode, pheasant, pongee and mocha. A pair **$1.95**

Kayser Long Silk Gloves, 12 or 16-button length, heavy quality silk and double finger tips. A pair **$1.50**

Kayser Silk Gloves, in regulation 2 dome style; heavy quality silk with double finger tips; shown in a complete range of colors. A pair, **95c** to **$1.50**

—Gloves, Main Floor

A Wealth of Choice

Millinery Styles for Easter

An Opportunity to Select the Right Hat—The Hat That Best Becomes Your Individual Personality

In our merchandising, Millinery has played a prominent part this Spring. We have chosen our great selection of Hats with most judicious care, and every customer may select with full confidence that they are securing the best styles and values. From a stock so varied, so complete with the fashions of the season, the RIGHT HAT is assured.

These comprise Hats for all occasions—Large Black Crinoline Dress Hats, picturesque models with graceful lines, in all the new soft rose tones, apple green, phantom red, Copenhagen blue, canary and prawn, also black and white, varying in price upwards from ..... **$12.50, $15.00, $17.50** and **$21.00**

We have also a very large selection of beautiful Trimmed Hats, with flowers, varicolored to tone with all gowns, coats or suits. Good style and wonderful values from ..... **$4.95** to **$10.50**

Black or Colored Trimmed Hats for Matrons, medium or large brims, very goot fittings, in softly finished becoming styles. Priced from ..... **$4.95** to **$8.95**

—Millinery, 1st Floor